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Vancouver team bought by local baseball promoters

River City Baseball Association, which hopes to bring Triple A Minor League baseball to a site in West Sacramento just southwest of the Tower Bridge, announced yesterday that principal Art Savage had completed his purchase of the Vancouver Canadians team.

The press conference in Sacramento stressed support for the plan by the Pacific Coast League, and general manager Billy Beane of the Oakland A's professional team was on hand to discuss the A's planned affiliation with the proposed team.

The purchase price has not been disclosed, but other recent team purchases have been for around $7 million.

River City Baseball said that within 90 to 120 days, the organization would present a financing plan to build the new stadium. Financing would be private, the group said, although local government may be asked to provide the funding mechanism such as a bond.

The Raley's Corp., headquartered in West Sacramento, has bought naming rights for the planned stadium. Several other organizations are competing to bring minor league play to either the Natomas area or the South Sacramento area.

River City Baseball attempted to set itself apart from the other proposals.

"With the purchase of the Vancouver Canadians, River City Baseball has cemented its position as the only group with the exclusive right to field a AAA baseball team in the Sacramento area," said Branch Rickey, president of the Pacific Coast League.

Savage, who helped start the San Jose Sharks professional hockey team, explained in a press release that River City Baseball was the only local group with a team, exclusive territorial rights, major sponsorships and a "downtown site."

Promoters said the proposed West Sacramento stadium could even be used for future spring exhibition games involving the Oakland A's and their major league opponents.

Police chief's car firebombed at home

West Sacramento Police Chief Larry Gore awoke last Wednesday morning at 2:30 a.m. to find his car outside on fire. Fearing that burning gasoline could spread the fire to his home, he fought it with a fire hose until firefighters arrived.

Unknown suspects used a "significant amount of gasoline" to start the blaze, said the West Sacramento Police Department, and Mayor Wes Beers offered a $1,000 reward for information on the case.

"An attack on any of our public safety officials is really an attack on all uf us, and we will not tolerate it," Beers was quoted by the police department.

Officials are not aware of any connection between the arson incident and the recent burglary of city manager Joe Goeden's home. Beer and stereo equipment were among the items taken in the burglary. Goeden and Gore live in different parts of the city's Southport area.

Getting into the spirit

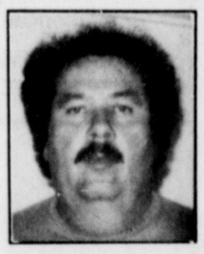
SOME PEOPLE -- like the Springer family in West Sacramento -- really know how to celebrate a holiday. Their home on the 500-block of Poplar Ave. is decked out for Halloween.

'Press,' Little League president settle libel claim

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The former president of the Washington Little League has received a cash settlement last week after filing a libel claim against the West Sacramento Press newspaper. In June of 1997, the Press printed a letter-to-the-editor suggesting Hyett embezzled league funds.

The amount of the settlement was kept confidential. As part of the settlement, the Press has agreed to print a retraction in an upcoming issue acknowledging what happened and saying the newspaper "regrets any distress experienced by Mr. Hyett and his family as a result of the publication" of the letter.



MIKE HYETT

"The original letter implied Mike was taking money from the little league concessions and using it on his house, which in essence accused him of stealing league funds," said Robert Johnson of the law firm Johnson, Schachter & Collins, which represented Hyett.

Following the letter's publi-

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School bond group meets for first time

The West Sacramento School Bond Task Force Steering Committee held its first meeting last Thursday night at the River City High School library. The committee is charged with developing a detailed plan for presentation to the Washington Unified School District Board of Education which will include recommendations that will form the basis of future actions needed to insure that the children of West Sacramento will have adequate educational facilities in the years to come.

Under the direction of WUSD facilitator Rob Corley, the Steering Committee reviewed the 1997-1998 Facilities Task Force recommendations and also heard presentations by WUSD Superintendent Dennis Kelleher, City Manager Joe Goeden, and City Councilman Bill Kristoff.

The main purpose of the Steering Committee is to determine if a school bond will need to be passed by West Sacramento voters in the not too distant future, and if so, what kind of bond will

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About Town

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

Jeri Wingfield's grandparents on her father's side of the family arrived in West Sacramento in the late 1920s with a distributor's license for a business they were sure would be very successful in West Sacramento's warm, dry climate.

"My grandfather made popsicles," recalled Jeri, "and the family business was called Hughes Frozen Confections. He also made 50/50 and crunch bars, and a number of other delicious ice cream treats which were always stacked up in our freezer at home when I was growing up.

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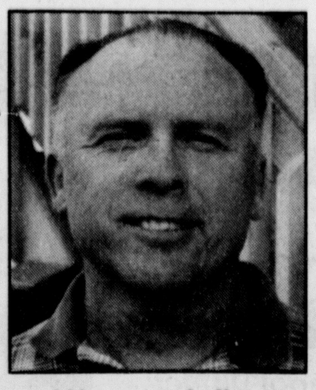
JERI and BILL WINGFIELD

FOUR FOR THE SCHOOL BOARD

With the following candidates' comments, the News-Ledger completes its election time coverage of all four candidates for the West Sacramento City Council and all 11 candidates for the Washington Unified School District Board of Trustees this November. Two school board candidates, James Myers III and Karen Bishop, declined an opportunity to interview but indicated they would serve on the board if elected.

Daniel Clayton

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



Daniel Clayton, 48, sees his run for a four-year term on the Washington Unified School District school board as a natural outgrowth of his history of community involvement.

"Since I've started running, I've started learning more, and like a kid, once I start learning I want to learn even more," said Clayton about the schools. "It would be a nice challenge to

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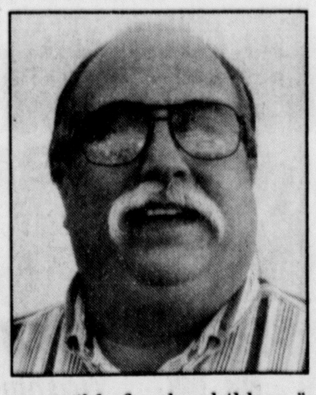
Stanley Dal Butler

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



"I believe the school board needs to have a well-rounded group of individuals working as a team," said Stanley Dal Butler, who is running for a four-year seat on the board. "Our children deserve the very best we can give them. The school district has a lot of resources at its disposal, and we need to use those resources as wisely as possible for the children."

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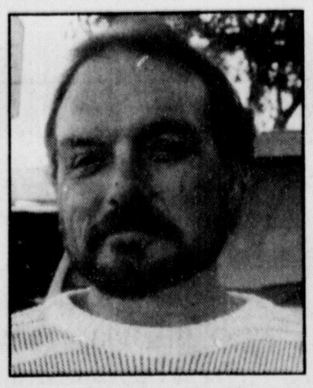
Richard B. Drew

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



"If the Lord wants me in this position, it'll work for me," said Richard Drew, a 37-year old candidate for a four-year term on the Washington Unified School District school board.

Drew is a heavy equipment operator and a minister at a local church. He is married, with a daughter who is a senior at River City High School, a son who is a freshman, and a sec-

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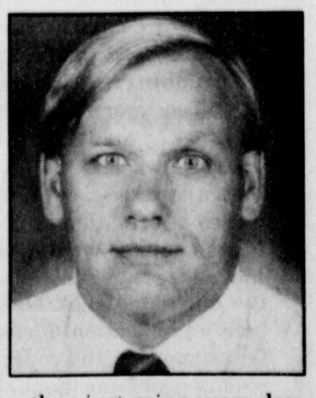
Paul G. Zolnikov

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



Drawing on his own educational experiences in the former Soviet Union, Paul Zolnikov -- a candidate for a four-year term on the school board -- feels West Sacramento needs to raise the standards of its educational system.

"I think a lot of changes can be done and should be done," said Zolnikov, 42. "School should be more than just going every day.

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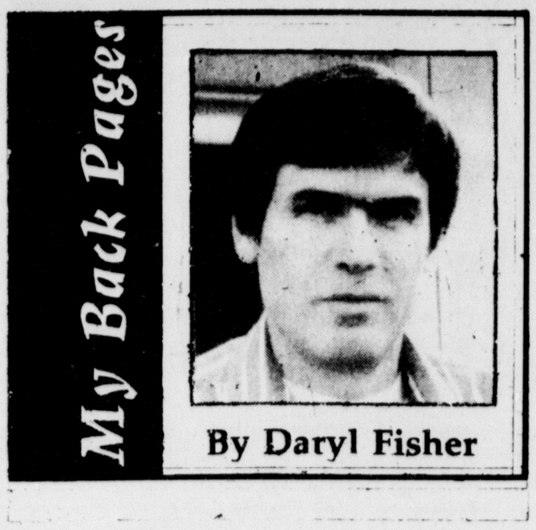
What lawyers and witnesses really say in court



Awhile back, knowing that ever since the O.J. Simpson trial I have had a very low opinion of our criminal justice system, my wife gave me a rather lengthy list of "courtroom bloopers" a friend had faxed her. The "bloopers" were taken from actual court transcripts and here are just a few of them (the attorney/client privilege has of course been waved):

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Q. Did you ever stay all night with this man in New York?

A. I refuse to answer that question.

Q. Did you ever stay all night with this man in Chicago?

A. I refuse to answer that question, too.

Q. Did you ever stay all night with this man in Miami?

A. No.

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Q. Doctor, did you say he was shot in the woods?

A. No, I said he was shot in the lumbar region.

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Q. What is your name?

A. Ernestine McDowell.

Q. And what is your marital status?

A. Fair.

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Q. Do you know how far pregnant you are right now?

A. I will be three months on November 8th.

Q. Apparently then, the date of conception was August 8th?

A. Yes.

Q. And what were you and your husband doing at that time?

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Q. Doctor, how many autopsies have you performed on dead people?

A. All my autopsies have been performed on dead people.

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Q. Were you acquainted with the deceased?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Before or after he died?

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Q. Are you married?

A. No, I'm divorced.

Q. And what did your husband do before you divorced him?

A. A lot of things I didn't know about.

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Q. Did you pick the dog up by his ears?

A. No.

Q. What were you doing with the dog's ears?

A. Picking them up in the air.

Q. And where was the dog at this time?

A. Attached to the ears.

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Q. And what did he do then?

A. Well, he came home, and the next morning he was dead.

Q. So, when he woke up the next morning, he was dead?

A. Yes, sir.

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Q. Could you see him from where you were standing?

A. I could see his head.

Q. And where was his head?

A. Just above his shoulders.

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Q. How did you happen to go to Dr. Cherney?

A. Well, a gal down the road had had several of her children by Dr. Cherney, and she said he was really good.

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Q. And who is this person you are speaking of?

A. My ex-widow said it.

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Q. What happened then?

A. He told me, he says, "I have to kill you because you can identify me."

Q. Did he kill you?

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Q. Mrs. Jones, is your appearance this morning pursuant to a deposition notice which I sent to your attorney?

A. No. This is how I dress every morning when I go to work.

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Q. What is your relationship with the plaintiff?

A. She is my daughter.

Q. And was she your daughter on February 13, 1979?

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Q. What can you tell us about the truthfulness and veracity of this defendant?

A. Oh, she will tell you the truth alright. She said she'd kill that sonofabitch -- and she did!

What's new at the library

From Elise McCallan
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The following new titles are currently available for checkout at the library, located at 1212 Merkley Ave.:

Working with Emotional Intelligence, by Daniel Goleman.

The Tri-Color Diet: A Miracle Breakthrough in Diet and Nutrition for a Longer, Healthier Life, by Martin Katahn.

The Complete Idiot's Guide to the Perfect Wedding, by Teddy Lenderman.

Getting Business to Come to You: A Complete Do-It-Yourself Guide to Attracting All the Business You Can Enjoy, by Paul and Sarah Edwards and Laura Clampett Douglas.

Coping with Depression, by Sharon Carter and Lawrence Clayton, Ph.D.

Badge of Courage: The Life of Stephen Crane, by Linda H. Davis.

New Books for Kids

...If You Traveled West in a Covered Wagon, by Ellen Levine.

Tiger Woods: An American Master, by Nicholas Edwards.

Winter Science Projects, by John Williams.

The Quilt-Block History of Pioneer Days with Projects Kids Can Make, by Mary Cobb.

Preschool storytimes have resumed. They are at 11 a.m. on Tuesdays and 7 p.m. on Thursdays for 3-5 year olds.

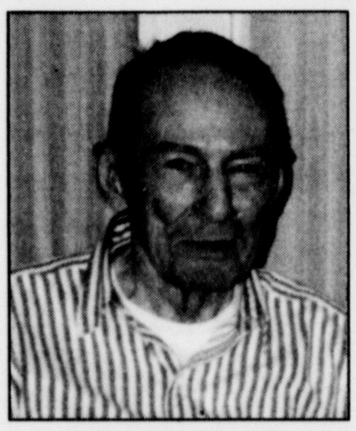
Mark your calendars! The annual Halloween program will be held at 1 p.m. on Halloween Day. For more information, call 375-6465.

Obituaries

Benjamin Brown

Benjamin Brown of West Sacramento passed away in Sacramento on October 23 at the age of 92.

Born February 24, 1906 in Ontonagon, Michigan. Preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Helen Andrews Brown and son Stephen T. Brown. He is survived by his daughter Sarah (Sally) M. Brown and grandson, Benjamin Gaston Brown, both of Bogota, Colombia, sisters Kathryn Jones of West Sacramento and Elizabeth Romo of Sunnyvale, California, stepdaughter Merrie Segovia of Sacramento, and numerous nieces and nephews.



BENJAMIN BROWN

He was an Episcopal priest prior to World War II and served with distinction in the Pacific Theater as a Navy Chaplain. He retired from the Navy with the rank of Captain. He was employed by the California Department of Employment until his retirement at age 65. Mr. Brown was active in civic and educational affairs in the West Sacramento community and often expressed his opinions and concerns through the press and to politicians. He was a Life Member and Past Commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #8762, West Sacramento. Mr. Brown took great pride for many years as a gourmet chef, specializing in French cuisine. He taught himself the French language so that he could interpret recipes contained in his numerous French cook books. He will be missed by his many friends who took great personal interest in his comfort after the loss of his wife, and who he affectionately called his "angels." As early as 1964, Mr. Brown left instructions authorizing the use of his body by the University of Davis for medical education and research. When completed, his remains will be cremated and his ashes buried at sea.

Memorial services will be held at Trinity Cathedral Church, 2620 Capitol Avenue, Sacramento, on October 30 at 2 p.m., followed by a reception at 3:30, courtesy of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary at the Veteran of Foreign Wars Hall, 905 Drever Street, West Sacramento. It is requested that donations, in lieu of flowers, be made to his favorite charity, River City Emergency Services, a Division of Episcopal Community Services, 1322 27th Street, Sacramento, 95816, to be used for their food closet program.

Anna H. Moniz

Anna H. Moniz died at home in West Sacramento on Oct. 27, 1998. She was the beloved wife of the late Walter P. Moniz, and is survived by children Pat, Jim and Gary Moniz; by six grandchildren; and by four great grandchildren. A native of Michigan, she was a 63-year West Sacramento resident, age 83.

Friends are invited to a Memorial Mass on Sat., Oct. 31, at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Grace Church, 911 Park Blvd., West Sacramento. Inurnment will be private. Memorials are preferred to Food for Homeless, Loaves & Fishes. Local arrangements are by River Cities Funeral Chapel.

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Raider football team keeps up winning ways; 4-0 in league

By Chuck Robinson

River City High School's varsity football team beat Marysville last Friday night at home. In the first quarter, RC's quarterback Brady Tacdol, on a quarterback keeper up the middle, went 71 yards for a touchdown and the conversion failed to lead 6 to 0. With 1:33 left Malfred Shaw broke loose and ran for a 56 yard touchdown and Morton Geivett kicked to lead 13 to 0. In the second quarter, RC scored on a 57 yard pass from Tacdol to Malcom Floyd and Geivett kicked to lead 20 to 0. RC scored again on a 50 yard run by Robert Cervantes and Geivett kicked to lead 27 to 0. With 1:00 left RC scored on a 9-yard pass from Tacdol to Floyd and Geivett kicked to lead 34 to 0 at halftime.

In the third quarter, Tacdol, up the middle, scored on a 59 yard run and Tacdol passed to Floyd to lead 42 to 0. In the fourth quarter, RC's Michael Lara intercepted a pass and scored from 40 yards out and Geivett kicked to lead 49 to 0. With 2:08 left, Geivett kicked a 34-yard field goal to lead 52 to 0. With 1:18 left, Marysville scored on a 71-yard run and kicked the conversion to end RC 52, Marysville 7.

On offense, Tacdol rushed 7 times for 159 yards, scored 2 touchdowns, and passed for 2 more T.D.s; Shaw rushed 3 times for 67 yards; Cervantes, 5 times for 70 yards; and Dominique Alpers, 7 times for 24 yards.

Defense was led by Mario Santos, with 8 tackles, 6 assists; Eric King, 5 tackles, 3 assists, 2 quarterback sacks; Ricky Santos, 6 tackles, 5 assists; Tacdol, 5 tackles, 4 assists, 1 pass interception; Mohammad Salmon, 5 tackles, 4 assists, 1 quarterback sack; Alfredo Rodriguez, 6 tackles, 4 assists; Marshaun Tate, 5 tackles, 4 assists; and Lara, 3 tackles, 4 assists, 1 pass interception. RC's record overall is 5-2; in league play, their record is 4-0.

Junior Varsity Loses to Marysville

Marysville scored first on a 10-yard pass and kicked to lead 7 to 0. In the second quarter, RC scored on a 34-yard run by Aurelio Vasquez, and the conversion failed to trail 7 to 6. Marysville scored on a 1-yard run and kicked to lead 14 to 6. With 0:47 left, Marysville scored on a 8-yard pass and kicked failed to lead 20 to 6 at halftime. In the fourth quarter, RC scored on a 20-yard pass from Zafar Niazi to Roy Butz and conversion failed to trail 20 to 12. With 2:31 left, Marysville scored on a 39-yard run and ran the conversion Marysville 28, RC 12.

Vasquez led the offense with 11 carries for 77 yards; Jason Hope, 10 times for 26 yards. Defense was led by Butz with 6 tackles, 5 assists; Niazi, 4 tackles, 4 assists, 1 pass interception; Oleg Bugeryiv, 5 tackles, 4 assists; Nick McKenzie, 5 tackles, 2 assists; and Tony Wise, 1 tackle, 4 assists, 1 fumble recovery. The J.V. record overall is 2-4-1; in league plan they are 2-1-1.

This Friday, the Raiders will play Encina at El Camino High School. Game time is 5:30 for the J.V.; 7:30 for the varsity.

Sports Quiz
by Aaron E. Tucker

LET'S KICK IT!

Test your knowledge of soccer.

1. What Major League Soccer team achieved the most game shots on goal?
2. What Major League Soccer team committed the most game fouls?
3. What Major League Soccer team had the most game cautions?
4. What Major League Soccer team had the most ejections in a game?
5. What Major League Soccer team had the fewest shots in a game?

Answers On Back Page

"Me, I've had every ailment known to man."

Sports Insider

By Richard Novoa

The Oakland Raiders (5-2) won their fourth straight game beating the Cincinnati Bengals (2-5) 27-1[illegible] before a small home crowd of 40, 089. The Raiders defensive secondary clamped down on the Bengals wideouts Carl Pickens and Darney Scott, limiting them to five catches for only 51 yards! Pickens who leads the league with 42 receptions was held to two catches and no points! The Raiders defense, who was ranked #30th last season, has taken over the No. 1 spot in the NFL rankings. The Raiders offense totaled 411 yards with season high 251 yards rushing. Napoleon Kaufman had a career high 31 carries for season high 143 yards. Second string quarterback Donald Hollas threw his first touchdown pass since 1992, when he was a back up QB for the Bengals. Tim Brown, who hauled in one Hollas TD passes, has caught at least one pass in 83 consecutive games. The Raiders travel to Seattle as 6 point underdogs for the ESPN 5:20 p.m. on Sunday night. If Hollas starts at QB for the injured Jeff George its going to be a long night for the Raiders. Seattle 28 - Oakland 17

Speaking of consecutive streaks, Jerry Rice broke the NFL record with 184 games with a least one catch. Rice led the 49ers to an easy 28-10 road win against the Rams and also became the first receiver to top 17,000 career yards! The 49ers came out their victory with out a major injury, as they prepare to travel next Sunday (1:15 p.m -FOX) to the frozen tundra of Lambeau field in Green Bay. The 49ers (6-1) will be underdogs for the first time this season. The Packers (5-2) are 3 point favorites. Steve Young and Jerry Rice tied the NFL record with their 79th touchdown combination, tieing Dan Marino and Mark Clayton. Look for the Young to Rice combination and their record breaking number 80th touchdown next Sunday, as the 49ers and Packers battle for that home field advantage in the playoffs. Steve Young has never beaten the Packers! He's 0-7 lifetime against Green Bay. Young will lead the 49ers to upset of the Packers! 49ers 34 - Packers 23.

Last week I had two winners again (Miami +1, and Denver - 8), but I lost the Monday night game with Kansas City(-6). (My season record improves to 13 wins, 9 losses, 1 tie)

In week 9, take the 49ers (+3) and their improving defense over the Packers, who are having problems running the football. The winless Washington Redskins (+3) will win their first game of the season at home against the New York Giants. On Monday night take the Cowboys if Troy Aikman returns to the line up over the 1-6 Eagles. If the points are more that eight, take the Eagles!

How about those Sacramento State Hornets (4-4, 2-3), who won their first ever Big Sky road game! The Division I-AA football team is being led by 5' 7" running back Charles Roberts. Roberts rushed for 280 yards in last weeks 38-21 upset over Northern Arizona. Roberts leads the nation in rushing yards with 1,607 and needs just 393 more in the Hornets' final three Big Sky games to become just the fourth rusher in Division I-AA history to reach 2,000 yards. If you want to see some good college football, head out to Hornet field next Saturday at 1:00 p.m. and grab a cold beer and support the CSUS Hornets against Eastern Washington.

See ya next week!

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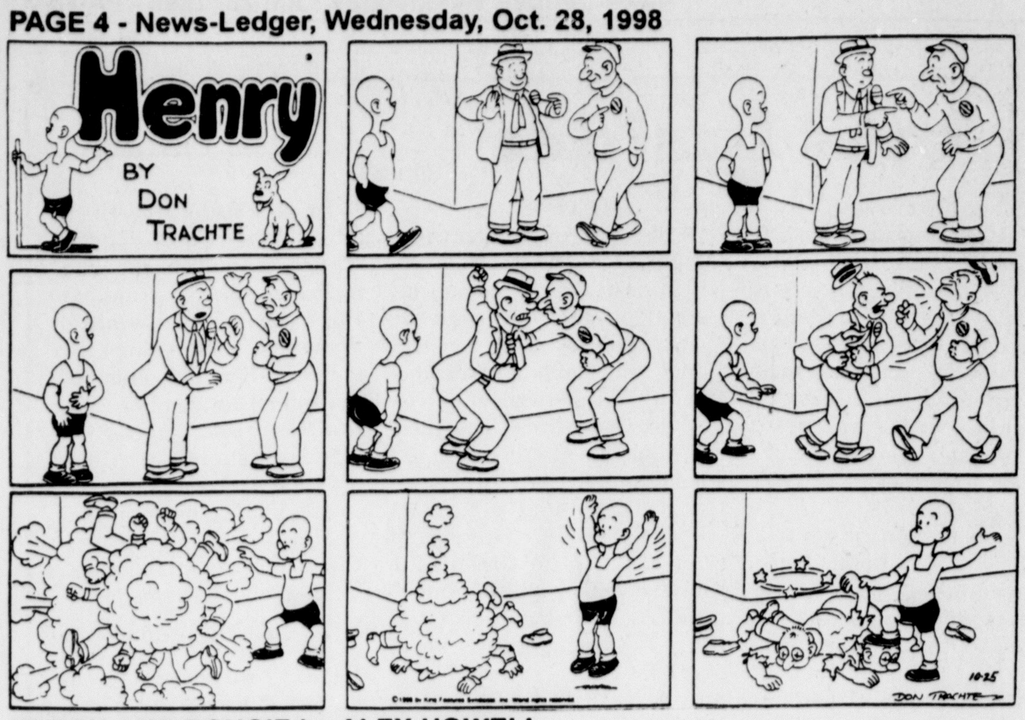

BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL

BUTCH, WHY ARE YOU JUST GLARING AT THE WALL?!
I THOUGHT YOU WERE GOING TO WRITE ON IT... WHAT HAPPENED?!
...YOUR CONSCIENCE STOPPING YOU?
NO... WRITER'S BLOCK.
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BRINGING UP FATHER

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J. WELLINGTON WIMPY!
W-WHO ARE YOU GUYS?
WE'RE THE GHOSTS OF HAMBURGERS PAST!
I'M THE GHOST OF THE DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER YOU ATE MONDAY!
I'M THE GHOST OF THE BURRITO BURGER YOU ATE TUESDAY!
AND I'M THE GHOST OF ONE OF THE FIVE PIZZA BURGERS YOU ATE YESTERDAY!
WE'RE GOING TO SHOW YOU WHAT HAPPENS TO PEOPLE WHOSE APPETITE KNOWS NO BOUNDS!
"YOU END UP AS A FLOAT IN THE THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE..."
HELP!
WHEW! DO I HATE THOSE DREAMS!
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FLASH GORDON

FLASH GORDON
DR. HANS ZARKOV
DALE ARDEN
FLASH GORDON
10-25
BY JIM KEEFE
THE WAY IT BEGAN!
FLASH'S THOUGHTS RETURN TO THAT FATEFUL DAY LONG AGO...
...WHEN A NEWLY DISCOVERED PLANET HERALDED EARTH'S IMMINENT DESTRUCTION!
NARROWLY ESCAPING FROM THEIR AIRCRAFT BEFORE IT'S TORN FROM THE SKY BY A METEOR SHOWER...
...FLASH GORDON AND FELLOW PASSENGER DALE ARDEN PARACHUTE TO SAFETY.
SETTING DOWN, THEY'RE CONFRONTED AT GUNPOINT BY A DISHEVELED FIGURE...
...DR. HANS ZARKOV!
DRIVEN MAD BY THE INTENSITY OF HIS EFFORTS TO SAVE THE EARTH, HE TAKES THE YOUNG COUPLE CAPTIVE!
WITH A DEAFENING ROAR, THE TRIO TAKES OFF IN A ROCKET SHIP OF THE SCIENTIST'S DESIGN--THE FATE OF THE WORLD RESTING ON THEIR SHOULDERS!
UP THROUGH THE HEAVENS THEY SOAR, UNTIL, MIRACULOUSLY, THEY REACH THEIR OBJECTIVE...
...THE PLANET MONGO!
NEXT: MING THE MERCILESS!

GEORGE by MARK SZORADY

SUPER CROSSWORD

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1 Surrounded by
5 Strikebreaker
9 Spars
14 Mustard type
19 — the Hyena (Capp character)
20 Prod
21 Arthurian talisman
22 Harden
23 "The Big Valley" mom
26 Moon-related
27 Thin as —
28 Very, in Versailles
29 Part of UPI
31 Ike's domain
32 Heron's home
34 Novice
38 Parker of football
39 "Growing Pains" mom
43 Stable feature
45 "— -Tiki"
46 Disney sci-fi film
47 Dams up
49 Is inexact
51 Conclude
52 ABCs
54 Cryptic bur.
55 Hebrew mysticism
57 Singer Gloria
59 Valerie Harper sitcom
61 Saint-Saens' "— of the Animals"
63 Comice kin
65 Contented sigh
66 Sheds
67 Conductor Queler
68 Engineer's directive
71 "One Day at a Time" mom
74 Banyan or baobab
75 "— of You" ('84 hit)
76 Expect
78 Smoke component
79 Return address?
82 Arch part
84 Inasmuch as
86 Explorer Henry
90 Sheena of song
91 Canvas bed
93 Sarge, e.g.
95 Ms. Zadora
96 Big man on campus?
97 Wild
99 Rock guitarist Lofgren
100 High peak
101 Prepare to be knighted
103 "Good Times" mom
107 Tie the knot
108 Dress fabric
110 Agitated state
111 — Na Na
112 Enchilada alternative
113 Puppy bites
116 Singer Della
120 Mythical river
122 "Little House on the Prairie" mom
127 Smell to savor
128 "— Dancing Mood" ('36 tune)
129 Sprint
130 Bathday cake?
131 Pavarotti or Pertile
132 Units of force
133 Literary lioness
134 A deadly sin

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1 Feminist Belmont
2 Golda of Israel
3 Machu Picchu native
4 Romantic period?
5 Big —, Calif.
6 Chihuahuas and chipmunks
7 John of "Fort Apache"
8 Actress Neuwirth
9 CEO, e.g.
10 Genesis vessel
11 Maglie or Mineo
12 Link
13 Foxy quality
14 Pickling herb
15 Shiba — (Japanese dog)
16 "Leave It to Beaver" mom
17 Declaim
18 Pianist Peter
24 Couturier Cassini
25 Actress Nielsen
30 Asian holiday
33 Lucknow lutes
35 Campers' conveyances: abbr.
36 Sicilian sizzler
37 Provokes
38 Slip cover?
39 " — Lisa"
40 Garcia or Gibb
41 Evening, in Paris
42 Captivate
44 Young and Thicke
45 Beer barrel
48 Georgia city
50 Spartacus was one
52 Spirited remark?
53 Fly high
55 TV component
56 Nautical adverb
58 "ER" network
60 Gandhi wrapped it up
62 Burn remedy
64 James of "Misery"
66 Communications pioneer
68 Behalf
69 Beg
70 "Family Ties" mom
72 Reunion attendee
73 Reformer Horace
74 Director Browning
76 Make amends
77 Came in first
80 Selected
81 Forget the words?
83 Abide
84 Hackneyed
85 Oklahoma city
87 Extend across
88 Art medium
89 Short snooze
92 Composer Carl
94 "Silas Marner" and "Oliver Twist"
97 Hardly hard-bodied
98 Fate
102 JFK abbr.
104 Rampur royalty
105 Neighbor of Tenn.
106 Military command
107 "— ignorance is bliss ..."
109 Full of froth
111 Blind part
112 Eye drop?
114 Concerning
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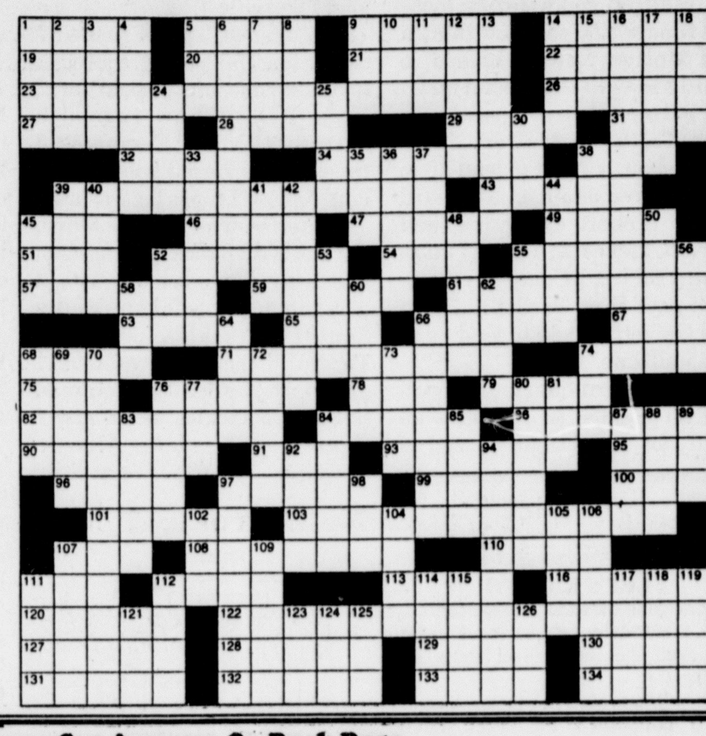

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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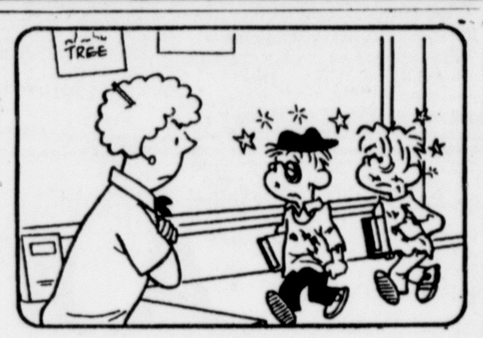

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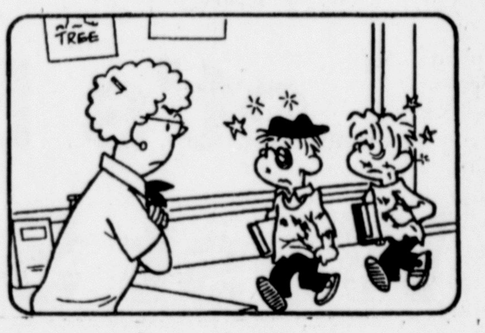

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OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS

THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING

OH MY GAWSH!!
...A LETTER FROM THE I.R.S.!!
?AUDIT??
?PENALTY?
?PRISON?
ELECTRIC CHAIR??
ONCE A YEAR I ASK THE I.R.S. TO SEND US AN EMPTY ENVELOPE JUST TO CLEAR OUT HIS ARTERIES.

OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial:

Points to ponder prior to the polls

A three-point philosophy of voting:

The first part is the most familiar. Ads, articles, parents, kids and peers can all be counted on to tell us over and over again that it is our responsibility to vote. They are right. We live in a system that is set up for our participation, and when we don't participate, the system goes along without us -- catering the needs of others, paying for the things others want with our own money, blood, sweat and tears.

Special interests, as always, are participating in the Nov. 3 ballot, and they will look after themselves (as always) quite well. The rest of us need to do the same, spending what time we have left getting to finish getting to know the candidates and the issues, and deciding what's best for West Sacramento, for California and for the country.

Your vote carries the same weight as the vote of the president of the Christian Coalition. Or the president of the Sierra Club. This is wonderful. Why not use it?

The second part of this three-point philosophy is a bit trickier; it is deciding when not to vote.

For most people, there just isn't adequate time to study every single race and every single ballot measure on the ballot in an election like the one which faces us next Tuesday. But an uninformed vote is a potentially harmful vote; it has a 50 percent chance of being "wrong." Someone's vote cast hurriedly, with no conviction or knowledge, can cancel out the vote of someone else who has carefully researched the same issue and come down on one side of it with both passion and conviction. This is not fair, and it is not good for democracy.

It's also true that someone confused about an issue is likely to vote 'no.' Political operatives know this. So a popular political strategy for opponents of a ballot measure is simply to generate confusion, hoping to shut down the ballot measure by essentially burying it in the garbage of rhetoric and claims, hiding its truth under a chain of allegations, claims and counter-claims. By becoming confused and then voting 'no,' simply out of sense of obligation to vote on everything on the ballot, we become pawns of these cynical political players.

Sometimes, it's a good idea just to not pull the lever.

The third thing is pretty obvious, but rarely practiced.

If you don't become informed, and don't vote, you really have no moral right to complain about your government. Those who do not participate in democracy should, by all rights, leave their mouths shut after an election and leave the griping to those who earned it.

See you at the polls!

Letters to the Editor

Vote DeSio

I urge voters to elect Mark DeSio for State Senator in District 4. I work with Mark at the California Public Employees' Retirement System and have personally witnessed his ability and commitment to solve complex economic and health issues. Mark is well-informed, fair-minded, and most of all, dedicated to addressing hard issues with hard work. He will be an advocate for all citizens.

Mark has been noted for his coalition-building skills by Congressman Vic Fazio.

On November 3, please join me in voting for Mark DeSio for State Senate.

MARY LYNN FISHER
West Sacramento

Vote Cabaldon & Beers

One of our great privileges and duties in this country is to vote for the person of our choice. It is amazing how many people feel that their vote doesn't count or matter. Everyone's vote does count!

We need knowledgeable, positive leaders with good ideas and foresight to make our City the best it can be! I am, personally, proud of being a small part of our City and the progress it has made to this point. We have had great leaders to get our community this far, and our future looks even better. We need Council Members like Chris Cabaldon and Wes Beers to continue to direct our City into that future.

Remember -- each vote does count, no matter who your choice is! Are you read to make an effort to cast yours?

JOYCE MILLER
West Sacramento

Support politicians with family values

Some men say adultery is a private matter, it's nothing to be ashamed of.

God tells us adultery, "Is a heinous crime; yea, it is an iniquity to be punished by the judges" (Job 31:11).

Don't be ashamed to vote for someone that upholds family values.

ISAAC COLVIN
Harrodsburg, Kentucky

Why I support Prieto

(An open letter to Ed Prieto, candidate for sheriff)

For many months now I have been in a quandary over whom to vote for in this upcoming election! Earlier this year I supported, precinct walked and worked hard for Lee Refsland, but it was too little too late. All summer and fall I pondered you and your opponents campaign material, articles and debates, it still left me hanging. I carefully studied both of your endorsements and I will admit that I hold many of your opponent's endorsements in much higher esteem than many of yours, especially those from the East Side of the Big River. However one name and one name only stood out from among the rest. Jim Cameron Sheriff Yolo County retired.

I hold Mr. Cameron's opinion quite high for these reasons. Since 1910, Jim Cameron is the only elected Sheriff in Yolo County to run for reelection and knew when to stop running. Sheriff Cameron did not end up in jail, nor did Sheriff Cameron decide to quit before his term had ended because he wasn't paid enough, even after Prop. 13 devastated his Department. I could go on listing things but I hope you start to get my point. I hold the opinion of both Mr. Cameron as well as his son Clark in high esteem in regards to the position of Sheriff in this county.

In light of this, I am supporting your candidacy for the position of Sheriff of Yolo County this time. I realize, as with Lee's campaign this may be too little too late but oh well this is politics. I ask but of several things of you good Traffic Officer. Before you become Sheriff, please know the difference between a Coroner and a Pathologist, do not lose the keys to the jail and if a case of rabies breaks out, do not send the Vet. to the jail. Last but not least, if my jury panel gets called, please let me know if Eli Nessler is anywhere about. Good luck!

R.E. (BUZZ) JONES
West Sacramento

Clayton for school board

I have known Danny Clayton since he was 12 years old and his family moved in next door to us. This community should feel very fortunate to have someone with his commitment and high standards wanting to represent us and our children on the School Board. Danny has done more and worked harder than all the other candidates running put together. We deserve a representative on the School Board who lives in the Bryte - Broderick area of West Sacramento. Other areas of this city have representatives and we deserve ours.

I urge everyone to take a look at what Danny has done for this community and how hard he is working to get elected. That is a true sign of how he will work for our children. Never ending!

KATHRYN AND WILLIE PERRIGO
West Sacramento

Supervisor weighs in for Cabaldon

I am writing to enthusiastically endorse Councilman Christopher Cabaldon for reelection to the City Council.

I first worked with Christopher when he represented my supervisorial district on the Yolo County health and transportation advisory commissions. Christopher proved to be a skilled leader and thoughtful problem-solver, as well as an effective advocate for West Sacramento. As president of the health council, he helped the Board of Supervisors shape and implement a major shift in the delivery of indigent health care that protected access to quality care while achieving substantial savings to the taxpayers.

Now, Christopher and I serve together on the boards of the county transportation district, the air quality management district, and the Delta Protection Commission. I have watched him quickly win the respect of leaders throughout Yolo County and Northern California, and his hard work and keen mind have been a real asset for our community's reputation in the region. Together, we won a tough battle to secure a Yolobus route to the Sacramento International Airport, and secured over $12 million in state funds to rebuild West Sacramento's highway interchanges. While making a mark for West Sacramento on important regional issues, Christopher always stays focused on bread-and-butter neighborhood concerns.

As an alumnus of the very first City Council, I am proud that someone of Christopher's caliber and commitment is carrying the torch. He is young, bright, and independent, and he has delivered real results for West Sacramento in just two brief years on the City Council. Christopher Cabaldon deserves reelection to the City Council.

MICHAEL MCGOWAN
Yolo County Supervisor
West Sacramento

Shared experience despite diverse opinions

Thank you for, once again, publishing a letter I sent to you, this time in the October 14 edition. While I've only been a resident since mid-January, 1986, I've felt a certain sense of community in this area of West Sacramento (Bryte) that reminds me strongly of that part of New England in which I was raised. There seems to be a sense of commonality, of shared experience, yet, also, a fierce independence of thought and purpose to this town that, in my opinion, shouldn't be lost while we try to emulate that "Shining City" across the river.

MR. BESHARIAN
West Sacramento

Limit number of letters per person

With an election cycle ending, this seems a good time to vote for a Letters to the Editor Department which limits the number of words (everyone equal) and also has a rule which in one way or another will mean that the "letters" will not become "regular columns." The Bee may be too rigid -- only one letter per month. This is sometimes frustrating, but it, or rule about the number of times a year one could write would encourage others to write.

GRACE K. OHLSON
West Sacramento

Laugenour for sheriff

The choice in the current election for Yolo County Sheriff is an easy one for residents of West Sacramento.

It's John Laugenour, our West Sacramento Police Department Reserve Lieutenant. John started working police patrol duty on the streets of West Sacramento. Later he gained more knowledge about our city's special law enforcement needs as a West Sacramento homicide detective, training officer, arson investigator, drug recognition instructor, supervisor of police officers. Laugenour also implemented the drug prevention task force plans.

I had the pleasure of working with John Laugenour during his years with the Yolo County Sheriff's office. Laugenour is likewise knowledgeable in all aspects of the Sheriff's office, where the other candidate as Sheriff has no such experience at all.

And I personally have observed that John Laugenour has been and is committed to the betterment of West Sacramento and our families' safety in and nearby this city.

When West Sacramento can again have one of its own as Yolo County Sheriff, we don't need to go any further than pushing the election lever for John Laugenour, Yolo County Sheriff.

MIKE WEBB
Retired Yolo County Deputy Sheriff
West Sacramento

Supporting Clayton

I would like to express my opinion regarding a Washington Unified School Board candidate, Mr. Daniel Clayton. I have never been a politically involved or motivated citizen, although I have resided in West Sacramento for the past 33 years and have always made certain to vote in all elections since the age of 18. However, I feel very motivated to exhibit my support of "Danny" Clayton. I have been involved in many organizations that involve my children, as my husband and I are raising 4 children in the West Sacramento community and we've had many occasions which we've had the good fortune of working with Mr. Clayton directly.

I cannot express enough, the genuine enthusiasm that Danny Clayton brings to the children of this community. He never fails to contribute and support all children that he is involved with. He provides an excellent example for parents and children, alike. Quite honestly, Mr. Clayton is not a veteran politician and does not profess to know all of the answers. But the one thing that he can be counted upon, is to do what is always best for the children of West Sacramento and the Washington Unified School District.

CHRISTINE SHOWER
West Sacramento

Wasteful county expense

The Yolo County Board of Supervisors recently passed, by a vote of 4 to 1, a proposal to fund district offices for each supervisor.

Presently each supervisor has a nice office in the Yolo County Administration Building with access to copy machines, records, phone service, fax machines, etc. Presumably each supervisor also has a phone and various fax and answering machines at home. At a time when many people operate out of "virtual offices" it appears very wasteful of precious taxpayers' dollars to establish satellite offices in each district.

Previously each supervisor scheduled office hours at convenient locations such as a library or community hall on a regular basis, thus saving the cost of an additional office while serving the public.

It was estimated that each district office could

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Your thoughts are welcome

Your submission's are always welcome to the News-Ledger opinion page.

Letters to the Editor should be brief and must include the author's name and signature. Phone number and address must be included for verification purposes. Except in unusual circumstances, authors' names will not be withheld from publication, and pseudonyms are not permitted. The News-Ledger will attempt to print letters in their entirety, but reserves the right to edit for length or for libelous or objectionable content. Deadline is Friday at 5 p.m. Please mail them to the News-Ledger, P.O. Box 463, West Sacramento, CA 95691, or drop them off at the News-Ledger office, 816 Westacre Rd.

"Sound Off!" comments should be very brief. They may be phoned in to 371-8055, and deadline is Monday. Please note that for reasons of fairness, and because of the anonymous nature of the "Sound Off!" comment line, subject matter is restricted. No criticisms or political campaigning in "Sound Off!," please, although that kind of subject matter may be appropriate for signed letters to the editor. Comments may be edited for length or objectionable content.

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cost approximately $8,000.00. The county must have a lot of money to spend. The Yolo County Taxpayers' Association feels strongly that this decision was a poor one and that it should be rescinded.

We also wish to thank Tom Stallard for his wisdom in voting against this proposal.

HARRY MILLER
Yolo County Taxpayers' Association Chairman

Miller: local Joan of Arc

Have you seen Joan of Arc running around on her chariot in your neighborhood? Take a better look, because it's non other than our own Marna Miller in her wheelchair. Who dare says this gallant lady is disabled. She's running a no money campaign. Who ever heard of a no money campaign?

Well, you just have to have some kind of respect for Mrs. Miller, for she truly is a caring lady of courage and pretty smart. When she speaks about taxes, does she mean all those fees that need to be paid to the City in order for a young couple to build their dream house here in paradise? Last election when the County made a huge mistake in the count, she came in last. I really thought that this was the last of her. Was I wrong.

This tiger lady came right back. Full of fire and with a lot of know how. I guess she learned from her mistakes in her last run for office. My hat off to this gallant woman. I know that if what happened to her during the last election would have happened to me, I would have left town. But not her, I always see her with a bunch of young kids and young mothers everywhere she goes.

Maybe we all should take a better look at her, I have. I'm not a woman or a young kid, and I like what I see. Maybe I like her because all those young mothers and kids from her neighborhood just adore her and believe in her.

BILL RESENDEZ
West Sacramento

Supporting Laugenour

The following members of Local 39 Union support John Laugenour for Yolo County Sheriff.

John has 25 years law enforcement experience within Yolo County. He has consistently demonstrated his commitment to Yolo County and it's citizens through his work as a law enforcement officer and his involvement with community activities. We recognize that John will continue to be committed to public safety and the best interests of the citizens of Yolo County.

We encourage you to vote for John Laugenour for Yolo County Sheriff on November 3, 1998.

TAMARA FIELDS AND 35 OTHER NAMES ON FILE AT THE NEWS-LEDGER
Woodland

Prieto for sheriff

I have lived in West Sacramento for 12 years and it is a great place to live. Every one in awhile, a candidate for office comes along who really seems to care about people and wants to make things better. I am convinced, that Ed Prieto is exactly that type of individual.

He has demonstrated his caring for people throughout his life through is tenured law enforcement career and through his life choices. Thankfully, he has chosen to raise his children in this community and is ready to invest his energy and experience to improve our sheriff's department. He has the track record and leadership skills to take our sheriff's department to an even higher level of efficiency and community involvement than ever before.

I am convinced that it is about time for some fresh blood our sheriff's department, and Ed Prieto is the perfect candidate. He is not a good-old boy, but he still knows the system and knows how to get things done the ethical and proper way. I trust Ed Prieto and think he would make the best sheriff. If you have not decided who to vote for in the sheriff's election, carefully review each of the candidates' qualifications and comparative management experience. I am sure you will join me in electing the best person for the job, Ed Prieto.

JANE KREIDLER
West Sacramento

Ex-sheriff endorses Laugenour

I am writing this letter to you voters of Yolo County. I wanted you to know as your former Sheriff that I have kept in close touch with hundreds of you and I want to thank you all for allowing me to serve you as Sheriff/Coroner of Yolo County.

I have had over 20 years to observe John Laugenour. I hired John to be a Deputy Sheriff and I witnessed his growth as a true professional law enforcement officer and leader.

John is truly committed to Yolo County and is highly trained to be a leader, administrator, communicator and available to the citizens as Sheriff/Coroner.

John has great support within and without the Sheriff's Department. John loves his work, our county and the future the Sheriff's Department can have.

We need to vote for John F. Laugenour as Sheriff/Coroner, Yolo Co. We need him.

RON E. WHITEHEAD
Former Sheriff of Yolo County
South Carolina

Pro-Prieto

As a long time resident of West Sacramento, I have come to appreciate this feeling of safety that I have when I go out at night to talk a walk, or when I need to visit the grocery for some forgotten item late in the evening. I attribute the safety of my home, and the safety of our city and streets to the efforts of our Sheriff and our local police department. Our Sheriff needs to ensure the safety of the area immediately surrounding our homes and protect the safety of our children when they venture out to the rural areas of our vast county.

Our Sheriff must work with the police departments to solve crimes and safely contain criminals. Our Sheriff and police need to work in concert to address the needs of our community. This is a prime example of the sum being greater than the components. Two departments working together are much more productive than either one alone.

Because of Ed Prieto's extensive background with the Highway Patrol, he has already established a working relationship with local police departments and has been very effective. He has already proven he will not let his pride or personal agenda influence his decisions to the detriment of the public. In fact, he has already developed relationships with the very communities with whom he will be working.

We need to keep our homes safe; for us and our children. We need a leader with proven experience. We need Ed Prieto. I ask you to join me in my support of Ed Prieto as our next Yolo County Sheriff.

MARGARET MAGNER
West Sacramento

Laugenour deserves vote

My name is Dan Maynard and I have lived in Yolo County most of my life. I retired from the Yolo County Sheriff's Department in 1994. I take great pride in the fact that I was a Yolo County Deputy Sheriff and that I worked with some of the finest people I have ever known.

At the top of this list is John Laugenour, I have known John for over 25 years, his honesty and integrity is above reproach. John Laugenour has the experience, knowledge, and abilities needed to be the next Yolo County Sheriff/Coroner.

Yolo County is my home, and the Yolo County Sheriff's Department is my "family." I trust John Laugenour explicitly to take care of my home and family, this is why I am urging all Yolo County residence to vote for John Laugenour as our next Sheriff/Coroner.

DAN MAYNARD
Esparto

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/s/Dino K. Gay
/s/Victoria Reich

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Date: Oct 1, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 18320 Title Order No. 176545 Reference No. STOVER APN No. 58-233-05 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 05/04/94. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 11/18/1998 at 1:00 P.M., **U. S. Trust Deed Services, Inc.** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust, Recorded on 05/05/94 as Document No. 15138 Book 2641 Page 261 Of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by: Donald M. Stover, an unmarried man, as Trustor Glenn L. Bleckley and Claire I. Bleckley, Trustees, Bleckley Trust, U-D-T, dated July 6, 1967, as Beneficiary. **Will sell** at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state.) At the main entrance to the City Hall, 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: Lot 17, Lakewood Unit No. 1, filed September 16, 1953, in Book 4 of Maps, Page 65, Yolo County Records. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1701-05 Lakewood Drive, West Sacramento, CA. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $65,688.10 Estimated. Accrued interest and additional advances if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Electon to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. **U.S. Trust Deed Services, Inc.**, as Trustee, 949 University Avenue, Suite 101, Sacramento, CA 95825, Telephone Number: (916) 387-7728, By: Genelle Wallace, Assistant Secretary, Date: 10/19/98 ASAP337567 10/28, 11/4, 11/11

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 16, 1998
File No. 98-556

The following persons are doing business as The Proletariat Workshop, 555 Guava Lane #210, Davis, CA 95616:

Aaron Daniel Kulick, same address.

This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/16/98.

/s/Aaron Kulick

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 16, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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TS. No. 98-02186 APN No.: **014-255-04** Notice of Trustee's Sale You are in default under a Deed of Trust, dated 12/23/91. Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceeding against you, you should contact a lawyer. Notice is hereby given that CTC Foreclosure Services Corporation, as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Kevin G. Copelin and Jamie A. Copelin, husband and wife, dated 12/23/91 and recorded 12/31/91, as Instrument No. 33484, in Book 2296, Page 600, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on **11/17/98 at 11:00 AM, At the Main Steps to the County Courthouse, 725 Court Street, Woodland, Ca** at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 833 Inglewood Drive, West Sacramento, Ca 95605 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is **$82,732.54**. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and Authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. Dated:07/01/98 CTC Foreclosure Services Corporation 400 Countrywide Way, SV-88, Simi Valley, Ca 93065 Phone: (805) 520-5241 Sale Information (805) 578-6618 By: Kristi Hufford, Trustee's Sale Officer **C285557** 10/28, 11/4, 11/11 1998

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
T.S. No. GM-41877-C
Loan No. 450059134

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 12/23/94. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.
A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. TRUSTOR:SHIRLEY A. HEFFERNAN AN UNMARRIED WOMAN
Duly Appointed Trustee: EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC.
Recorded 12/30/94 as Instrument No. 94-0038191 in Book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California.
Date of Sale: 11/18/98 at 11:00 AM
Place of Sale: ON THE MAIN STEPS TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 725 COURT STREET, WOODLAND, CALIFORNIA
Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $79,105.57
Street Address or other common designation of real property:
1575 VERMONT AVENUE
WEST SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95691-3955 APN #: 058-096-07
The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale.
Date: October 23, 1998
EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC.
15455 SAN FERNANDO MISSION BLVD
SUITE #208
MISSION HILLS, CA 91345
(818) 361-6998
KATHLEEN GOWEN
10/28/98, 11/4/98, 11/11/98
NEWS-LEDGER (CA)

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 2, 1998
File No. 98-526

The following person is doing business as Oakdale Ranch Farms, 17785 Co. Rd. 86A, Esparto, CA 95627:

Brent J. Stephens, same address; Marcy L. Stephens, 186 Muir St. #20, Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8-26-98.

/s/Brent J. Stephens
/s/Marcy L. Stephens

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 2, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 98-9507963-A Loan No. 9507963 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 12/24/1993. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. TRUSTOR:JACK MYERS AND MAUREEN LUCY ANTHONY-MYERS, TRUSTEES OF THE MYERS FAMILY TRUST DATED OCTOBER 22, 1990 Duly Appointed Trustee: GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO. Recorded 01/04/1994 as Instrument No. 000230 in book 2593, page 382 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California; Date of Sale:11/04/1998 at 1:00 PM Place of Sale: AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL, 2101 STONE BOULEVARD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $73,708.46 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 1001 FREMONT BLVD WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605 APN #: 014-251-021 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: October 02, 1998 GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO. Post Office Box 34957 San Antonio, Texas 78265-4957 (210) 543-4998 Trustee Sales Assistant ASAP336142 10/14, 10/21, 10/28

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. **98-7565955-A Loan No. 7565955** YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 02/13/1991 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. TRUSTOR:MAUREEN ANTHONY-MYERS AND JACK MYERS, WIFE AND HUSBAND Duly Appointed Trustee: GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO. Recorded 02/27/1991 as Instrument No. 004748 in book 2203, page 616 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California. Date of Sale:11/04/1998 at 1:00 PM Place of Sale: AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL, 2101 STONE BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $86,373.16 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 1033 CARRIE ST. WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605 APN #: 014-372-161 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: September 30, 1998 GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO. Post Office Box 34957 San Antonio, Texas 78265-4957 (210) 543-4998 Trustee Sale Officer ASAP335894 10/14, 10/21, 10/28

NOTICE OF VEHICLE LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to CA Civil Code Sec. 3071 and 3072 that AAA Self Storage - 226 Dr. Claassen Wy., Woodland, will for the purpose of satisfying lien for storage, sell at public auction at 9:00 AM, the 12th day of Nov., 1998, the following vehicle to wit: VIN - CKL146Z154250, CA 1D52823, 1976 Chev. 2D-PK, RV-Space 30, Shirley Buckholz.
Bob Kolak Auction Serv. Lic. A-468
Bond #68368965
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NOTICE OF VEHICLE LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to CA Civil Code Sec. 3071 and 3072 that N.S.S. Minimod Storage - 2600 Evergreen - W. Sacto. will for the purpose of satisfying lien for storage, sell at public auction at 10:00 AM the 12th day of Nov. 1998 the following vehicle to wit: VIN WDBAB30A6BB244864, CA 2JBE348, 1981 Mercedez-Benz, 300D, Sedan.
Bob Kolak Auct. Serv. Lic. A-468
Bond #68368965
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
FILE NO: 141604 SERVICER: FIRST NATIONWIDE #6838834990 TRUSTOR: MJ GILLOCK
YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED SEPTEMBER 23, 1992 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.
On November 12, 1998 at 1:00 P.M., Northwest Mortgage Services, Inc., as duly appointed Trustee under deed of trust executed by M. Jane Gillock as trustor, recorded October 2, 1992 as Instrument No. 9232119 in Book 2403 Page 506 of the official records of the recorder's office of Yolo County, California, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER for cash, or cashier's check (drawn and payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States as specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code), At the main entrance to the City Hall, 2101 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the following described property situated in the aforesaid County and State, as more fully described in the Deed of Trust. 338 Bridge Place West Sacramento, CA 95691 APN 045-330-42
The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said deed of trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the deed of trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and of the trusts created by said deed of trust, to-wit $60,318.36.
Dated: October 21, 1998 Northwest Mortgage Services, Inc., as trustee 3636 Camino Del Rio North, Suite 200, San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 528-4688 (916) 387-7728 - Sales Information
By: Team C, Authorized Signature
Pub: 10/21/98, 10/28/98, 11/04/98
CNS1651202

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
T.S. No. GM-37065-C
Loan No. 0303836852

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 5/3/94. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.
A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale.
TRUSTOR:JOSEPH A. SUTTON AND TANIA SUTTON, HUSBAND AND WIFE
Duly Appointed Trustee: EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC.
Recorded 5/11/94 as Instrument No. 015744 in Book 2643, page 51 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California.
Date of Sale:11/10/98 at 11:00 AM
Place of Sale: ON THE MAIN STEPS TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 725 COURT STREET, WOODLAND, CALIFORNIA
Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $82,679.41
Street Address or other common designation of real property:
621 PECAN STREET
WEST SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95691 APN #: 08-430-05
The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale.
Date: October 13, 1998
EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC.
15455 SAN FERNANDO MISSION BLVD
SUITE #208
MISSION HILLS, CA 91345
(818) 361-6998
KATHLEEN GOWEN
10/21/98, 10/28/98, 11/4/98
NEWS-LEDGER (CA)

Imagination is the eye of the soul.
—Joseph Joubert

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE
(UCC Sec. 6105)
Escrow No. 983188

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale is about to be made. The names, business addresses of the seller are: T.T.R., Inc., AAA Crane, 1834 Auburn Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95815

Doing business as: Total Tire Recycling.

All other business names and addresses used by the sellers within the past three years, as stated by the sellers, are: NONE.

The name and address of the buyer is: Twenty-nine Palms Band of Mission Indians, 46200 Harrison St., Coachella, CA 92236.

The assets being sold are generally described as: Fixtures, Equipment, inventory and other business assets and are located at 8588 Thys Court, Sacramento, CA 95828.

The bulk sale is intended to be consummated at the office of: Bay Area Escrow Services and the anticipated sale date is Nov. 16, 1998.

The bulk sale is subject to the California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2.

The name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is: Bay Area Escrow Services, San Ramon, CA 94583 and the last date for filing claims by any creditor shall be Nov. 13, 1998, which is the business day before the sale date specified above.

Dated: 10/15/98
By: Dean Mike, Tribal Chairman Twenty-nine Palms Band of Mission Indians (Reservation)
Oct 28

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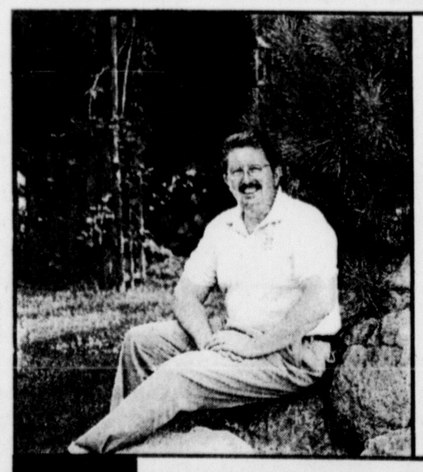

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Updates and Briefs

Mock Trial Still Open For New Members

The Mock Trial team is still open to students, so if you're interested see Mr. O'Connor in room 36. The written case will be distributed on October 28.

Mock Trial is an activity that can benefit students interested in a future in law and gives the experience of court procedures and team work qualities.There is a computer program on court objections available to all Mock Trail team members.

By Veronica Alarcon

Multi-Culture Club to Have Halloween Party

According to club officers, the Multi-Culture Club did great with the candy sales. The club's snack bar at the football games have also started off with a bang. To reward all the hard work put into the fund raising success, there will be a Halloween party for the Multi-Culture Club members on October 30 before school. Multi-Culture Club members will also be taking their club picture for the yearbook. Multi-Culture Club is designed to celebrate and to benefit all cultures on River City's campus.

By Veronica Alarcon

Tech Prep Attends Rope Team-Building

On October 15 and 16, River City's Freshman Tech Prep students, as well as a variety of others attended the annual Rope Team-Building activity at Amador High School. The sophomores went to the activity on Thursday and freshmen went on Friday. Teacher supervisors were Ms. Richey, Mr. Alan, and Mr. Salas.

"It takes a lot of courage to climb 45-foot-high ropes, so I congratulate the students participating in the self-challenging activity. Good work!" said Ms. Richey.

By Veronica Alarcon

Agency Offering Jobs For Youth

The Yolo Partnership Agency, or CPA, is offering jobs and educational assitance to people 17-21 who have not completed high school. Students will receive help earning their G.E.D. or high school diploma, a job paying $5.75 an hour, child care, and transportation. If you are interested or know of someone who might be, call Rachael Rubio at (916)-375-6300 or Susan Tarleton at (530)-661-2900 for more information.

By Kendra Drischler

SAT, ACT Registration Deadlines Coming Up

Those interested in taking the SAT or ACT in the month of November need to send their registration packets by the end of this week. The deadline for the SAT, October 30, and the ACT deadline is November 6.

By Kendra Drischler

Correction:

Last month, the ***Review*** published a newsbrief incorrectly reporting the titles of two members of the West Sacramento Youth Commission. The ***Review*** regrets the error. The correct titles are: Chairperson, Denise Lee Vice-Chairperson, Sergiy Neverov

Six pass 97-98 AP tests

By Marsha Russo
Contributor and Staff

As most students know, River City offers several AP, or advanced placement, courses. They are considered to be college level, and at the end of the year students enrolled in these classes can take tests to earn college credit.

River City students take their tests at Turner Library with Mr. Allan. They took the tests last May, and their results came back in July.

In order to pass, a student must receive three out of a possible five points. A five is considered the equivalent of an "A" in a college class, a four is a "B," etc. Most colleges will waive an equivalent course requirement if a student has passed an AP test. Some schools, however, such as Berkeley, do not accept all tests.

Berkeley freshman Rishi Sharma contributed five of our school's ten passing AP scores last year. He passed calculus, Spanish, government, English literature and composition, and English Language and composition. Asked how he managed to score so well so often, Rishi said, "I was well prepared by the coursework in my classes."

Some other passers were Ian Branaman in English literatureand composition, and Chris Hasegawa and Sultan Yusufzai in calculus. Sultan said of the experience, "It was challenging, but I studied hard and perservered."

Sultan was one of three juniors who passed AP tests last year. Jennifer Redmond and Kendra Drischler also passed U.S. History. "I did nothing but study the weekend before the test," Kendra said, "I took thirty pages of notes in two days. But it was worth it to pass."

RC wins $390,000 technology grant

By Kendra Drischler
Editor-in-Chief

River City High School won the second annual drawing for the Digital High School grant on September 18. It is a grant that pays for technological equiptment and training for a school over the course of three years. Our school will be getting $390,000, and since the school district must match grant funds in order to receive it, River City will have a total of $780,000 to spend on equiptment. In addition, depending on our ADA, we will be getting about $45 per student over the next two years to pay for staff training.

The grant is a part of the statewide Digital High School Education Technology Grant Program. This grant was authorized by Assembly Bill 64, passed in August of 1997. The legislation says it intends for "all high schools in the state to become 'digital high schools' by the end of the first year of the twenty-first century." This means that every high school will have modern technological equiptment. It also means that every student should be able to use computers and other technology, and that teachers should be able to use technology in their classrooms.

Asked what the school will buy, Dr. White said, "Computers, laserdisks, video equiptment... whatever the staff decides we need." The staff is currently in the planning stages of the program, working on "wish lists" of what they would like to have by department.

Mrs. Green said the English department would like "a computer in every classroom. Maybe a phone, or a TV/VCR. We could have a cart with laptops for every student, and a printer."

The foreign language department, Mrs. Connolly said, would like "e-mail pen pals in foreign countries, satellite hookups to foreign language channels, or maybe a mulitmedia language lab."

Physics class has car race

By Melissa Chavez
Staff Writer

Each dragster was attached to a thirty-foot-long string. As the students waited for Ms. Lacktis to say, "GO," they eased their cars into position holding onto the two-inch needle that would puncture the carbon dioxide cartridge and begin the race. Ms. Lacktis blurted out "GO" and the cars were off at an average time of 1.2 seconds to complete the thirty-foot track. With no time to blink, the race was over.

Ms. Lacktis' second period Academy Physics and Technology class recently raced carbon dioxide dragsters in front of room 61. The race ended with a very close tie between Kenji Enos/John Chanthalangsy against James Horner/James Edwards. The time was 0.85 seconds. Ms. Lacktis commented, "The prize was, of course, their grade, but other than that, winning is a reward in itself."

They've been working on their creations for a month, and just recently tested them down the thirty-foot race track.The students began their projects by going over the history of automobiles and their purpose, reviewing metric measurement, and also going over the air resistance against the cars. Then came the fun part, designing their very own cars, according to the limitations specified for the sizes of each part. Ms. Lacktis observed that "this group of students did a good job and worked hard at getting their dragsters low, really took it seriously, and tried hard to make their cars work."

Students tested their dragsters many times, which took a lot of patience because some of the dragsters wouldn't work efficiently. Ms. Lacktis also said that "it was a great learning experience for the students and it gave them an opportunity to build a car according to specifications and guidelines."

Photo by Danielle Meaux

The Kenji Enos/John Chanthalangsy and James Horner/James Edwards cars face off.

New teacher paints

By Vicky Dunsavage
Staff Writer

Mrs. Madelynn Hendrixson is a new teacher at River City, and likes it already. Mrs.Hendrixson teaches both French and English. She enjoys French a lot, enough to take it for nine years. As for English, she likes literature and enjoys seeing students discover themselves in books.

Mrs.Hendrixson said she chose to teach because, "I love to give back to the students; seeing a kid learn is enjoyment to me."

Although Mrs.Hendrixson is around students all day, she says she doesn't get tired of them. When she goes home she has her own five year old son to take care of. With her husband in law school and away a lot, she really has her hands full. Although Mrs.Hendrixson likes this school, she knows that she might have to move if her husband gets a job in another place.

Asked what she likes to do in her free time, Mrs.Hendrixson answered, "I've got a five-year-old son that is my free time. But when I get the chance I like to read, cook, and Tole paint."

Veteran teacher 'new'

By Rachel Woods
Staff Writer

Mr. Olsen is a new teacher at River City High School, but is not new to teaching at all. He has been teaching English and history for four years at Golden State Middle School. He came to River City because he wanted to try something new, and teaching tenth-graders political science sure was.

Mr. Olsen likes River City and its students a great deal. He said, "I like River City because I like to see my former students and how they have changed." Asked if there is a difference between teaching eighth-graders and teaching tenth-graders, he said, "Eighth-graders don't fall asleep in class, but tenth-graders think for themselves." There are things about middle school he likes, but he says he likes high school better.

Mr. Olsen attended Jesuit, a Catholic high school, where he was a "C" student. He said that that was no fun, because it was hard. If Jesuit students go lower than a "C" average, they are kicked out.

After high school Mr. Olsen went to the Air Force, which he enjoyed and later returned to Sacramento to go to UC Davis. In high school he didn't know he was going to become a teacher.

As far as his life now, he is happily married, but without any kids. He goes to the Air Force Reserves as a "weekend warrior." Mr. Olsen has just started graduate school at CSUS and is working on a master's degree in history.

Mrs. Johnson an equestrian, considers herself 'ranch girl'

By Olivia De Mars
Staff Writer

Horses, cattle, chicken, dogs, and sheep. A ranchers life? Yes, I think so, but you never think of a teacher as having that kind of life.

Mrs. Amber Johnson, River City's new Spanish teacher, has grown up with animals all her life, on a ranch east of Merced. So, I guess you could say it's in her blood. From training her dogs on herding up the sheep to horseback riding, Mrs. Johnson is a ranch girl at heart.

Since Mrs. Johnson got married this summer, she now lives on a 10-acre ranch outside the town of Clarksburg. "I wouldn't call it a ranch," she said, "it's too small for that, but it's big enough for a start."

On their 10-acre ranch the Johnsons own ten horses, three dogs, sheep, chickens, and sometimes she even has cattle. Every day after school Mrs. Johnson slips out of her teacher mode and into the animal-loving, horseback-riding, woman she is.

"Rosie is my favorite" Mrs. Johnson said talking about her long-legged, dark-bay horse. "She's good-natured, and just as sweet as can be. She is a perfect horse, an I love riding her."

Aside from riding her horses Mrs. Johnson trains her three dogs Soledad, Bonita, and Luke to herd up their sheep. I asked her who her favorite dog is, she said, "That would have to be Soledad." (That translates to solitude in English.) She has one blue eye and one brown eye and that is what makes this brown-haired, energetic, fun-loving animal unique, she said

At River City you can find Mrs. Johnson teaching Spanish in room 54. So next time you see Mrs. Johnson you might see a bit more than your idea of the average teacher, in the average classroom, with an average life because her life is much more than average.

Changed attendance law proves controversial

By Kendra Drischler
Editor-in-Chief

This school year, public schools began complying with state Senate Bill 727, a law that could dramatically change school funding in the state of California. Schools are funded by the state government, and from now on they won't be getting any money for students who are absent. The law is supposed to motivate schools to get more students in classrooms by only funding the time during which they are being instructed, but some critics say that schools are already making a strong effort to keep kids in school, so this policy will only take away badly needed money.

This will affect everyone because ADA, or average daily attendance, determines how much money the school gets. According to Mr. Whittemore, River City receives about $21 a day to educate each student, depending on the student's needs. Of course, that money will now only be paid if the student is in class.

The state no longer cares why anyone is absent, but River City's attendance office still does. When asked how the attendance office's job has changed, attendance clerk Mrs. Smith said, "It hasn't really changed at all. We still want you to bring in notes and have your parents call to excuse you. We keep track of absences, and will call home if an absence is unexcused. We just don't get credit for our ADA."

Overall, Mr. Whittemore welcomes the new law. "Anything that gets more kids to school is fine with me," he said, adding, "You can't get an education without being there." He also said the early results coming back statewide have been positive, and that he is optimistic about how the law will affect River City.

Not everyone agrees that changing funding policy will help public schools. Some say that schools are going to be hurt. "If the incentive is to try to get them to school, then we're already doing that," said Rose Tribolet, Washington Unified School District's business secretary. She also said, "Salaries have to be paid. Lights have to be turned on. School has to stay open. If funding gets cut, there won't be enough money for other things, like college prep classes, the music program and away games."

The consensus is that we will have to wait and see what happens this year, attendance-wise. There is an enormous amount of money involved, since the state pays for River City's $5 million-dollar-a-year operating costs, and that money depends on school attendance. Each year, average attendance out of total school days for the year is calculated, and that determines the next school year's budget. The attendance of this year's senior class affects how much money will be provided for next year's incoming freshman. The effects of SB727 are going to be felt for years.

Nine absences a quarter will mean failure

By Kendra Drischler
Editor-in-Chief

How often students miss class will begin to affect their grades automatically next semester, if an attendance policy proposed by staff becomes official.

In the proposed policy, students will fail classes they miss nine times in a quarter or eighteen times in a semester. Absences for school activities will not be counted.

All other absences will be counted, and all make-up work will require an admit.

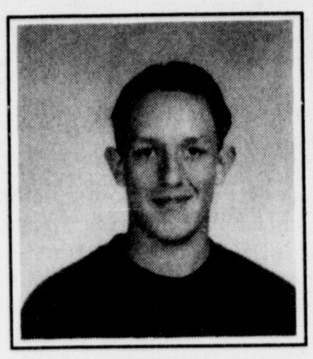
Opinion

Question in the Quad

Being the festive paper that we are, the ***Review*** question this month is: **What is your worst nightmare?** A peek into the subconcious of our student body awaits...

Getting pregnant.

Veronica Maldonado
Freshman



Being trapped in a room with only two inches of moving space.

Josh Smith
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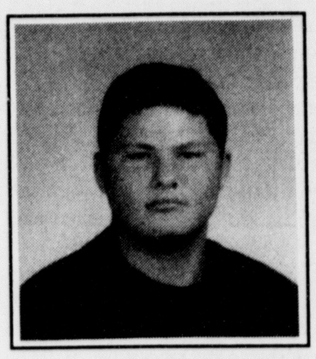
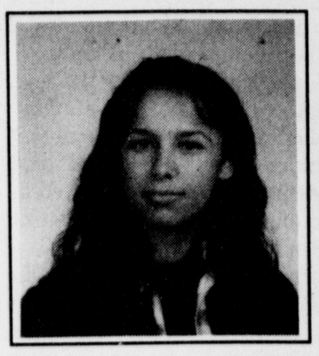


Sitting down in the middle of the quad, realizing everybody's looking at me, I look down-- and I'm naked!

Mario Santos
Junior



Two guys holding me down while another guy puts spiders all over me.

Sharlene Jagur
Senior

Commentary:

Another freshman reveals the rest

Vicky Dunsavage
Staff Writer

Well, if you read the paper last month you might have noticed the story titled "Shoe Duty Horrors, Freshmen Reveals All." Did you read it? Well, if you did, then you know me already. Yeah, I'm the one with the "initials" Vicky. Bryon's story was pretty good, but he didn't tell you how it really happened. Let me tell you the real way it was.

Bryon showed up to help with shoe duty. There were many others there also, so I told Bryon to go in the dance and have some fun (get a little freaky), but he said no. People kept coming in and out of the dance wanting their shoes, and it was tiring. Bryon's complaining about everything didn't help. I couldn't take it anymore, so I went for a break with a friend. We were gone for awhile and when we came back things were all messed up and Bryon was still complaining.

I told him to go take a break, go in the dance or something, but he refused. He wasn't having fun and he was getting on people's nerves, so we asked if he wanted to go home. We told him it would be fine, but he insisted on staying.

Time passed, days it seemed like. People were yelling at us, getting mad, and even jumping over the table. It was very hard to try to find everyone's shoes when they were all mixed up and Bryon seemed to be taking his time. Luckily, the dance came to an end and the hecticness was over. Bryon went home, but as he walked away you could still hear him complaining.

All I got to say is, "Thanks, Bryon, for the big headache you gave me. You actually made the dance a little bit better, some how."

Editor's Note: Vicky and Bryon discussed their differences, and he promises to get a little freaky at the next available opportunity.

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—Our Voices—

What is a role model? Who do you look up to? This month the class discusses who they admire and the responsibilty of being an example.

We Must Set Positive Examples

Who has the responsibility of being a role model? Being an older sister of four impressionable siblings, I know that I have the responsibility to set a good example for them. What makes the burden of responsibility on parents, teachers, athletes, and even celebrities any different? From a single parent who may have a single child to an athlete who may have millions of fans, everyone has the obligation as an adult to set good examples for the younger generations. Without positive role models who will the younger generations look up to?

The consequence for children of adults feeling they shouldn't be considered role models is silent yet deadly. Children learn their habits from older people they admire and look up to. Often children learn the habits of drug use, violence, hostility, and hopelessness, but with the help of positive role models children are able and willing to learn responsibility, courage, hope, and success.

People often mistake being a role model with being a perfect individual. This is not what the younger generations need or are going to get. What they do need are examples of perseverence, kindness, and a key to knowledge.

Humans make mistakes all through life and will continue to fall until the end of time. The important thing about making mistakes is correcting them and getting right back up to finish the race of life. This is what I consider to be behavior of a role model: Never giving up, showing the younger generations that they can succeed and destroy the barrier that seems so strong and everlasting.

By Veronica Alarcon

Role Models Are Plastic

I don't want to be a role model. To me, the term implies a larger-than-life basketball player or saint who is held up to a child as someone their parents wish they were more like. "Michael Jordon says 'Drugs aren't cool.' You want to be like Mike, don't you Billy?" The lives of role models are bland. Children should learn from people who are complex and flawed, not plastic.

People argue that children see their parents as role models. But who <u>really</u> wants to be just like their parents? Parents are for rebelling against, for saying, "I'll never be like that!" or, "I like the way they did that. When I grow up, I'll do it like that, but even better." A person should learn form acts, not worship the simplified personality and behavior of a "role model."

A role model doesn't have self-doubt. A role model doesn't do anything they regret unless they learn a very valuable lesson from it. A role model doesn't question things, and a role model only tells you what you already know ("And that is how I learned that hard work and perserverence really do pay off.")

I want not only children, but people of all ages, to learn by doing things. Your own success or failure will teach more than any platitude. Also, you should have some perspective when looking at other people's successes or failures. Former drug addicts are <u>former</u> drug addicts. Olympic athletes have personal problems.

Encouraging kids to follow role models seems to imply that right and wrong aren't subjective concepts. There isn't one agreed-upon way to be that everyone must aim for. Other people will never provide a substitute for asking the questions of yourself necessary to discover what you really think is "right" and who you want to be.

By Kendra Drischler

Everyone Is A Role Model For Someone

Are you a sports figure, actor, or someone's next door neighbor? If you answered yes to any of these, then more than likely you're a role model. Pretty weird, huh?

So now you're probably thinking, "How can I be a role model, I'm still young?" Well, do you have any younger brothers or sisters, cousins, or anybody like that? More than likely they look up to you in some way. It doesn't matter how old you are, you are being watched. In fact my role model is only 22, and he's been the person I've looked up to since he was 18. It just doesn't matter.

However, as a role model, it's up to you to make the right decisions. If you go out and mess around, that little kid who is watching you is going to think it is okay because you are "just too cool to do wrong." Even if you don't want to be a role model, somebody will always be looking up to you in some way. So in other words, don't be an idiot.

Good or bad, the choice is yours. Just keep in mind that someone younger, or even older is playing the copy-cat game to become your twin. Being a role model is important, so make the best of it while your fans are watching.

By Misty Drew

Commentary:

West Sac teen activities scarce

By Misty Drew
Staff Writer

West Sacramento-two words that stand for fun and tons of things for teenagers to do. I think not!

Imagine this. You are 15 years old and you decide that you want to get out of the house for a while. So you decide to go to West Sac's Parks and Recreation Department to join an activity, maybe sign up to improve your football skills. To your surprise, when you show up for practice you are practicing with a bunch of 8 year olds. Let's face it, this is not fun.

As I did research for my column "Misty's Social Scene," I found out that there really isn't much for teens in this city. When I called Parks and Recreation, I discovered that the age for the football activity is 8-15 year olds. On top of that, 15 is the oldest age allowed in the football activity and that is the only activity that allows 15 year olds to join. If you are 16, you can't. No teenager wants to work or play sports with a bunch of little kids. West Sac needs something for teens.

The majority of things that are available for teens to do are sponsored by the local churches. That's great and all, but the truth is not every teenager wants to go to church. So, where else do they go?

I constantly hear parents, teachers, and other "concerned" adults complain about kids joining gangs, doing drugs, and being an all-out menace to society. Well, have they ever looked around this city? West Sac is pretty boring. Until adults do something about this problem, do they have a right to complain?

There is one group trying to make a change by starting a teen center called Second Mile. Second Mile is a place for high school students to go on Tuesday nights. The group meets in the club house at Sam Combs Park. Now this only means one thing: This teen center doesn't have its own building, which brings me to my next point.

On Tuesday, October 13, West Sacramento had a ground-breaking ceremony for the new city hall location. Now, this really makes no sense to me. We already have a city hall and it's in perfect condition. So the city is spending $12 million on something that is not needed when they could easily put that money for things for teens to do. Now doesn't that sound like a good idea?

Teenagers, it's time we spoke up. The next time you hear some adult complaining about us going downtown or out to Arden, remind them that we have absolutely nothing to do here. Adults, before you complain about teenagers again, look at yourselves and see if you are doing anything to help us out. It might make you think twice.

Three out of four at RC believe in ghosts

Barney, Mr. Whittemore among our greatest fears

By Marsha Russo
Staff Writer

With Halloween fast approaching, we decided to focus this month's survey on this frightenig night. We found out some of our deepest fears, from "Mr. Whittemore" to "ghosts". Keep reading and find out how you compare to the average River City student.

Our first question was simple enough: "Do you believe in ghosts?" We discovered 72 percent of students do.

Next, we asked, "What scares you?" Well, most guys claim nothing scares them (yeah, sure, we all believe that one). Girls were the most afraid of scary movies and stories, and ghosts. Several things got votes from both guys and girls, including, clowns, spiders, and Barney.

Almost 90 percent of River City students like watching scary movies. Among the most popular were *Scream* 1 and 2, the *Halloween* series, *Urban Legends*, and *Seven*. Several students claim to be extremely scared of Disney movies. The classics, such as the *Freddy* movies, *It*, and *Chucky*, also received many votes.

About 60 percent of students are going to dress up this year, although many of them have no idea what they are going to dress up as. Those who did know, however, tended to be very original, including one student who is going to be a cow. Of course there were also several people dressing as the classics, such as vampires and witches.

When we asked students if they were going trick-or-treating, those who were and those who were not were just about even.

Even those who aren't going trick-or-treating were eager to answer the question, "What is your favorite type of candy?" Most people voted for some type of candy bar or chocolate. The most popular were Snickers, Reeses, and Caramello. Several students also voted for Sweet Tarts and candy corn.

Well, now that you have some ideas for what movies to watch, what to be for Halloween, and what type of candy bars to have, you can throw the best Halloween party ever.

Just one more thing: Please keep filling out these "scary" surveys each month. To those who fill them out, thanks.

Features

Aztec dancing links student to heritage

By Veronica Alarcon
News Editor

As the warm sun pierced through the vibrantly colored feathers of the traditional Aztecan head pieces, I watched the beautiful ceremonial dance in a willing trance. On October 10, I attended an Aztec ceremonial dance at South Side Park. The colorful designs of the trajes (costumes) sparkled with history telling visions that inspired me to share the culture inspiring experience.

Before the dancing began, the dancers formed a traditional circle of ceremonial prayer. During the prayer, a grey sweet smelling smoke came from beautifully decorated stone like pipes containing sage. Sage is an incense-like smoke that is used to clear the body and soul of negative spirits and evil from the earth. After the ceremonial prayer, the intense dancing began. The rhythmically moving bodies danced in a circle with musical anklets made of golden brown nuts that bound together at the ankles of every dancer. In the middle of the circle there were drummers who kept the heart pounding rhythm.

Traditional costumes... designed by dancers in bright colors of red, green, brown, white and even silver.

The traditional costumes and head pieces were individually designed by the dancers, in bright colors of red, green, brown, white and even silver. From cloth skirts splitting thigh high to pull-over jeweled, embroidered vests, the costumes screamed Mexican Indian history and culture. Colorful feathers on the head pieces reached at least three feet high into the air. With shimmering shields in the arms of the dancers, they spoke the silent tales of their ancestors with rhythm, grace, and pride.

Yaqui, Mayan, Azteca, and Native American are among the Indian cultures that the dancers are proud to represent. Aztec dancing is not just of interest to the one-third of River City's students who are of Hispanic descent. All students interested can see Mr. McPherson (M.E.C.H.A advisor) in the counseling office. He'll be more than happy to give you information and people to contact for more on Aztec dancing.

RC's 'got that swing'

By Brandy Sherrill
and Vicky Dunsavage
Staff Writers

Hepcat alarm: swing is back, and the RC cats are on track. A dance that is 60 years old is making its way back.

Swing music originated from jazz in the 1930s. Along with swing music came swing dancing. Swing dancing has specific steps that you must know. There are inside turns and outside turns and moves like the "washing machine," where two people are twisting around each other. You must have a partner while swing dancing. One of them, usually the male, leads the other person in twists, turns, and lifts. It requires fast movement and coordination. You must have balance as well when you're flipping and swinging. Swing dancing is also called the "jitterbug." With its speed and variety of moves, it will catch anybody's eye.

Students at River City seem to be getting into swing dancing. They say it's fun and exciting. The spins and lifts seem to be what interest these students. Jodi Cole, a junior, even wants to teach swing dancing in the future.

Most RC dancers learned how to dance at school with the exception of Jodi Cole who was taught by her mother. Color guard students, band students who don't play instruments, are learning to swing dance. They practice after school and before they perform. Lisa Farnworth, the instructor of swing dancing, said "The students have learned fairly quickly." If you were at Fridays game, you saw them perform at half-time to "Rock Around the Clock."

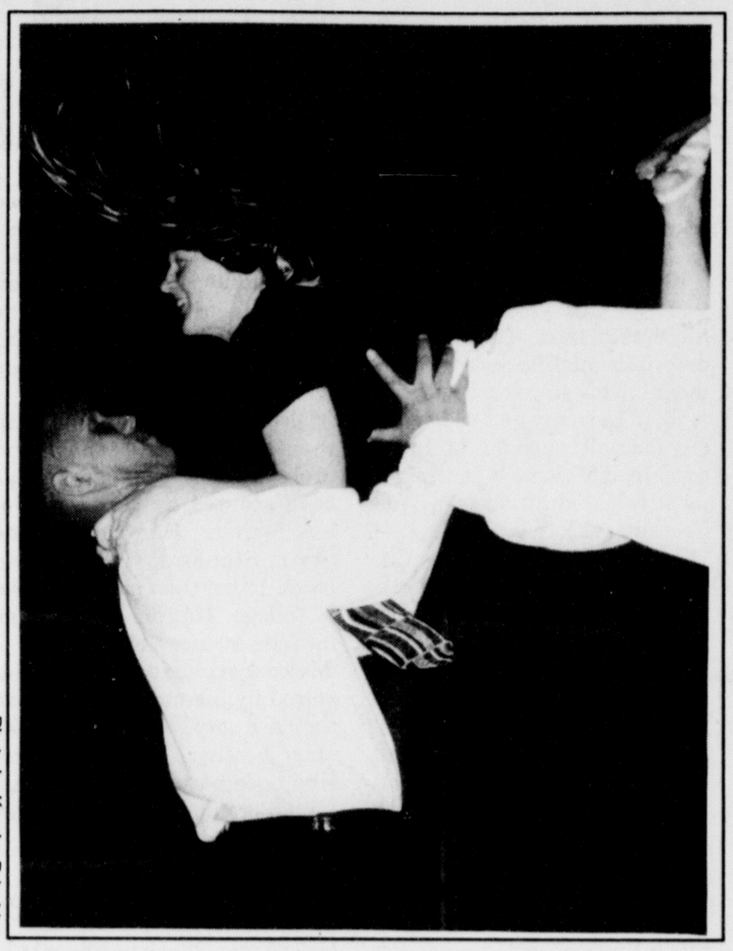


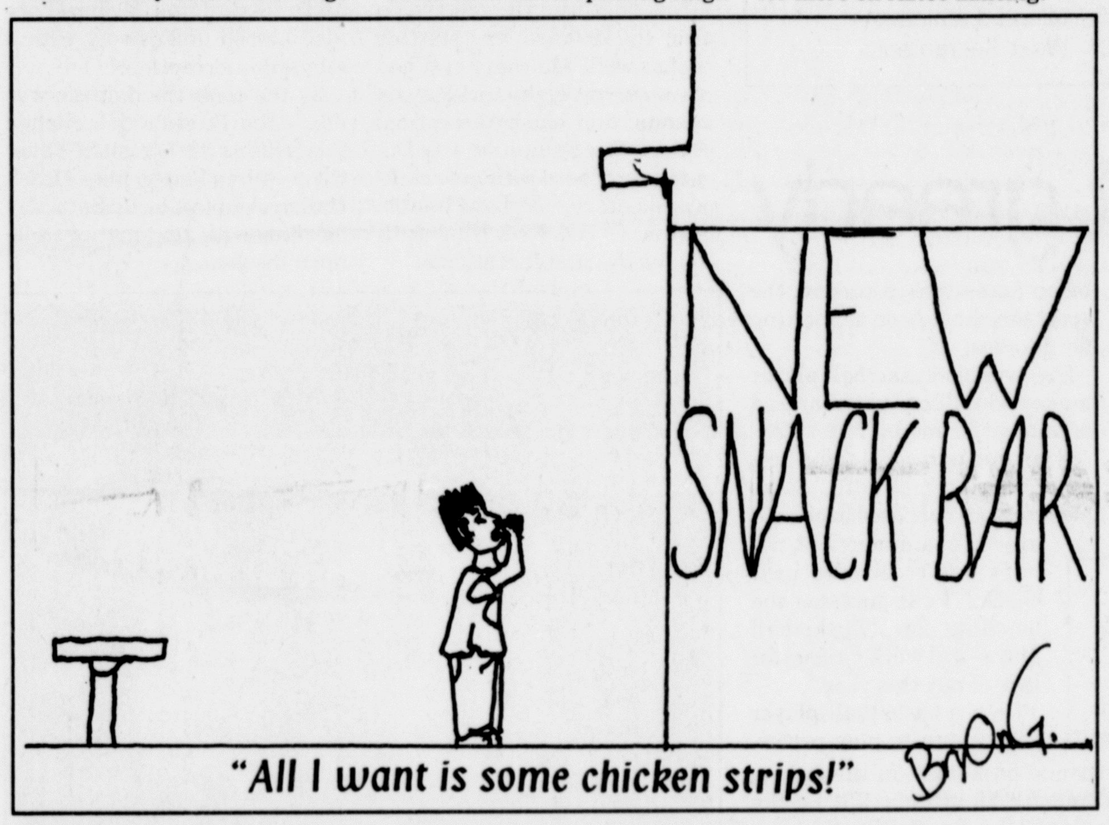
Photo by Kendra Drischler

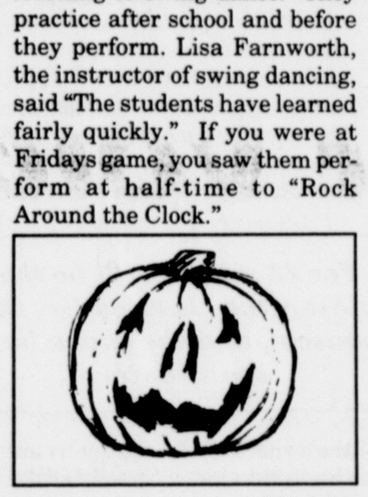
Raymond Currin jumps, jives and wails with Jodi Cole.

Students like swing music, as well, even students who don't swing dance. Bands like Brian Setzer Orchestra and Big Voodoo Daddies seem to be most popular. Students are mostly dancing to older swing music, though.

Swing dancing is taught at the Marquee, a club on Florin Mall Road, for $8.00 a lesson. On a recent evening I went there to see Ms. Greenwood's band, the Savoy Rithimares, play and try swing dancing. It was a very interesting night. The advanced dancers had on the full swing regalia; the women had on dresses that flared out when they would spin, and the men wore slacks and suspenders with the old "gangster hats." They danced with a lot of speed and consistency.

Instead of moving forward in time, we seem to be moving back. Not in all aspects, but culturally, I must say we are. We're heading toward a new century, but actually, we're just returning to an old era. As we move on, we will continue to swing.





Humor:

The life of Bryon, our only male

By Bryon Groesbeck
Staff Writer

Hello again, it is I, Freshman Bryon. For those of you who don't know me well, I am the only man in my Journalism class.

Now some of you might be thinking, "Whoa, he is the luckiest guy..." Well, I am here to tell you that I am not the Luckiest Guy. Actually, it is almost like I am the Unluckiest Guy.

Journalism has eleven girls, young ladies rather, or people of the female gender, (I want to be as politically correct as possible.) The teacher is female, too. So it makes it all that much better.

They ridicule me because I am the only guy. And then, again, for being a freshman. They say that I can be their friend in the class, but when I see them in the quad, I can't talk to them. I have to pretend that I don't know them, so that they won't be embarrassed. So I have the best of both worlds (If you couldn't tell, there was a hint of sarcasm in that last sentence.)

Also, when I told them I had a girlfriend, they giggled and laughed until they made me

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Artist inspired by death metal

By Kristin Winters
Staff Writer

Death metal is blasting from the stereo, words and music filling the room with all kinds of different images, setting Jeremy Clifford's imagination into overdrive.

Jeremy Clifford (known to his friends as Jesus because of his resemblance and initials. Coincidence? They think not.) is a senior at River City who plans to attend college to be a movie special effects artist. If that falls through, he would like to be a professional scuba diver. Asked what they do, he replied, "You know, work on oil rigs in the ocean. Kind of like an oil welder." Some people write to show what they're feeling, their thoughts, and what goes on inside their heads. But not Jeremy. He expresses himself through art.

When Jeremy first took up drawing about ten years ago, he and his friends drew cartoons together. Now, Jeremy draws whatever happens to come to mind, which could be anything at all. He draws things only he could think of, and he uses movies and everyday life to help him. But he says what gets him going the most would have to be music.

Jeremy listens to bands like Tool, Nine Inch Nails, Marilyn Manson, and Morbid Angel. As a matter of fact, the picture you see accompanying the article was inspired by a song by Morbid Angel called, "Where the Slime Live." It's a song about what Jeremy describes as the "corruption of the church." In other words, the song is about how certain religions put down people of any other religions just because they view things differently than they do. The "morbid" creature in the picture represents what the song describes as "The Dark One," or the church. The child below him is one he has "corrupted," and is holding the book of "The Dark One's" religion. The person that is lynched in the background represents the "non-believers," the ones who disagree with "The Dark One," or the churches.

Jeremy describes his artistic process as short and quite simple. First, he tries to clear his mind as best as he can so he can concentrate on what he wants to draw. Then he sketches the image, and adds to that. He sketches as the different images come into his mind. Asked what he thinks about his drawings, Jeremy replied, "Well not to sound conceited or anything, but I think they're pretty cool." When I asked him if his drawings had meaning, he stopped and thought a second, then said , "When I'm done, I like to look and see what I've actually done."

Besides art, Jeremy has other interests. He likes to play the guitar, watch VCR movies, and go out to the movies. He also enjoys scuba diving. Once when he was diving off the Catalina Islands, he caught a baby shark he described as "vicious."

Don't be surprised if one day in the future while walking through an art gallery, you see a picture with the name "Jeremy Clifford" below it.

Kendra's Kommentary:

New high school urgently needed

By Kendra Drischler
Editor-in-Chief

A few weeks ago I attended Candidate's Night at city hall. I wanted to find out how much of a priority a new high school was for our local political candidates, particularly those running for school board. It turned out that every one of them wants a new high school. Every prospective school board member mentioned support of it in his or her speech. It seems that if all it took was a vote of the school board, we could have a new school next year.

However, a new school first has to be paid for by a school bond, which works like a tax. First, a school bond needs to be on the ballot. Then, two-thirds of West Sacramento voters must approve it. These things can't happen until more community members actively support the idea of a new school.

Do we really need a new school? Absolutely. River City already has far too many students, and there are more every year. This school was built for under a thousand of us, and there are currently 1,361. We have a gym that was supposed to be temporary thirty years ago, and three rows of portables. Those portables make classrooms at opposite ends of the school extremely far apart. It is nearly impossible to make it between them during a passing period without running.

At least 28 classrooms are shared, and only some have air conditioning. I remember days in September when my seventh-period class was a sea of uncomfortable-looking faces with sweaty foreheads. The Academic Decathlon class had to move to an air-conditioned portable at one point, their classroom was so hot. Portables, supposedly "temporary" classrooms, are the best rooms we have.: They not only have air conditioning, but modern heating systems and the most space.

Because of the technology grant we received this year, we may soon have computers and Internet hookups in every classroom. When we will also have air conditioning?

If we don't get a new school soon, more drastic measures than portables and classroom-sharing will have to be taken. Some of the ideas expressed at Candidate's Night as alternatives to a new school were year-round school, portables in the oak grove or on the tennis courts, and schedules in blocks, with some people staying as late as 6 pm.

I may be graduating next year, but I am still concerned about this year's freshmen having to come to rooms with no air conditioning all summer as seniors or future River City students having to navigate from what was once the oak trees to, say, the band room in five minutes. West Sacramento high school students deserve better.

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Sports and Activities

Malcom Floyd scouted by Harvard, Stanford, UCLA

By Melissa Chavez
Staff Writer

Role models is this month's topic for Our Voices and many have said that Malcom Floyd definitely qualifies as a true role model. This star varsity athlete is liked by many and as his varsity football coach Mr. McIntyre explained Malcom is "one of the most talented athletes in West Sacramento."

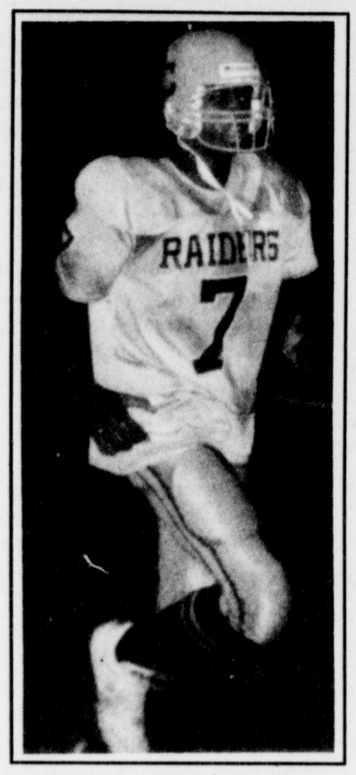
Malcom is a senior at River City High School, who works hard at maintaining his 3.4 GPA. He works up a sweat each day tackling and receiving in preparation for the rest of football season. Next, he will go on to making shots and dunks in basketball. He will also challenge the obstacles on the track team.

As a football player, his positions are slideback, safety, kick returner, and punt returner. His friends refer to him as a "positive influence" and "a great athlete." The offensive varsity football coach, Mr. Hall, commented that "Malcom has tremendous talent and is very coachable." Malcom has received two most-valuable-player-for-offense awards, a scholar-athlete award and for his stats an entrance into the 100-point club.

Malcom wishes to continue with sports after high school and probably will because he has been scouted by University of Los Angeles, Harvard, Fresno State, Stanford, CalPoly, and more. Other than playing sports in college, Malcom wants to go into the science field.

Malcom explained that he is inspired by his parents, "because they are very wise,"and also his older brother, Malcolm Floyd, who once played for the Houston Oilers and the Los Angeles Rams.

When asked what he enjoys about playing sports, he said " I love to win." Spoken like a true role model.



#7 Malcom Floyd, the player Coach McIntyre calls "one of the most talented athletes in West Sacramento."

Varsity football 4-0 in league

By Danielle Meaux
Sports Editor

On Friday, October 16, the varsity football team was on a mission. The bleachers were packed, the fans were cheering frantically, and the big dogs of River City were ready to play one of the biggest games of the season. The opponents were the Golden Sierra Grizzlies, who were no match for the River City Raiders, as it turned out.

As the game got underway, the unstoppable Malfred Shaw lit up the field rushing for 113 yards on four carries and contributing one touchdown. Shaw wasn't the only one on fire because senior quarterback Brady Tacdol rushed for 63 yards on five carries and threw for two touchdown passes to Dominique Alpers and Robert Cervantes.

Not only was the offense on fire, the defense was sizzling just as well. Malcom Floyd had an amazing eight tackles, six assists, and one interception. Also making the hits was Dominique Alpers with nine tackles, six assists, and one fumble recovery, and Eric King with six tackles and five assists.

By the end of the game the score was 28-13, and the Raiders were able to pull off yet another win.

Head Coach Mr. McIntyre said, "We dominated the entire second half both offensively and defensively and couldn't have played a better game."

Offensive Coach Hall didn't hide his enthusiasm. He said, "I was "high" all weekend, and I don't mean the kind of high you think I mean. I woke up Saturday morning with a smile on my face and a burst of energy."

The following Friday, October 24, the Raiders were back in action. The victims this time were the Marysville Indians. Senior quarterback Brady Tacdol lit the field up this game rushing for 159 yards in just seven carries and scored two touchdowns. Malfred Shaw and Robert Cervantes helped with the running game adding a 56-yard run and a 50-yard run. Michael Lara also helped defensively with a 40-yard interception.

By the time the damage was done, the Raiders demolished the Indians 52-7 to make River City 4-0 in league play. Coach Hall no doubt woke up Saturday morning with yet another smile upon his face.

Soccer 6-3-2

Olivia De Mars
Sports Writer

Mr. Restivo, coach of the River City soccer team, has high expectations of his team this year.

"We have a very good chance of finishing either first or second in the league," he said, "but it all depends on the game...how many mistakes are made on both sides. The league is pretty well balanced in power and anything can happen."

"We have a super good team," Mr. Restivo continued, singling out several players: Raidi Mashriqi , "super" goalie, forwards Tim Cissney and Cory Clounce, "excellent scorers," Misuki Kawaguchi, center with "super ball skills," and Morton Gierett, center defense, called a "great all around player" by Coach Restivo.

Tim Cissney said, "We tie a lot. If more people didn't just play their way, then we would win a lot more than we tie."

Asked which teams in the league are hardest to beat, Coach Restivo said, "Lincoln, with strong forwards, Colfax, a good all-around team, and Marysville's players are very tall and fast."

The team has won six games, lost three and tied two.

Danielle's Sports Commentary:

NBA strikers just greedy

By Danielle Meaux
Sports Editor

I've heard of the baseball strike, but a basketball strike? Is money the cause of every strike? I would think the players would be crying over something like the fields or the uniforms, but not in the NBA. Money is the issue in the NBA. Okay, stop me if I'm wrong, but the last I heard the NBA players were getting millions just to play the sport they love. Who wouldn't want the chance to have a job doing what they love to do and making millions of dollars doing it?

For $3 million, I'll be the player, the cheerleader, the mascot, and the snack bar coordinator.

Besides appearing all over television, athletes are supposed to be role models for people of all ages. Right now, the NBA players are acting like typical "rich kids." "I'm not making enough money," is all I'm hearing out of these boys' mouths. They only have about 30 million in the bank and drive cars that are worth more than my house, my grandma's house, and my grandma's grandma's house.

I could go into all the details about the tax rates and "hard cap" salaries, but I won't. It all breaks down to one conflict: the players want more money and the owners don't want to give more money. Who could blame the owners? But, then again, are the owners just as greedy as the players? The owners' main concern is profit, too, or there wouldn't be a league to run. Is there anyone left in the NBA who really cares about the sport?

As I jump to answer this question, the only people I can think of are the fans. The fans are what bring money, and if the players don't watch out, if and when the strike ends, there will be no fans there to support the sport they have been supporting for decades.

The average basketball player makes $3 million per year and is hungry for more. Most players are due to receive their first paychecks November 15. Some players were supposed to be paid over the summer, but nobody has received a paycheck. I can just see the headline now, "Basketball player will work for food for lack of pay this year."

I am a basketball player, who wants to play professional basketball in the future, and for $3 million I'll be the player, the cheerleader, the mascot, and the snack bar coordinator. You wouldn't have to ask me twice.

What it all comes down to is, money isn't everything. Talent and how you portray yourself as an athlete and an individual is what makes you a good role model and athlete.

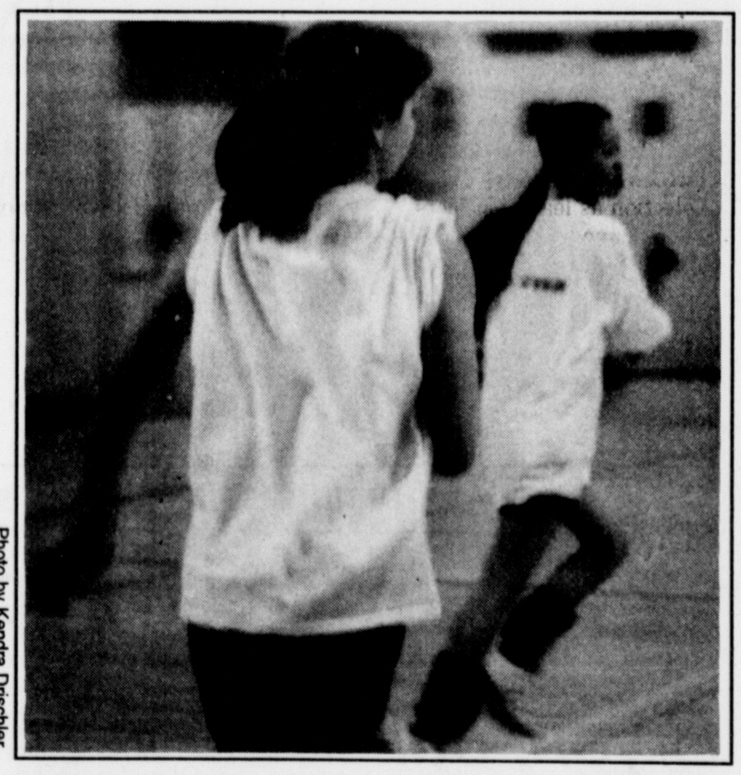


Photo by Kendra Drischler

Kelsey West and Ka Yang at volleyball practice Friday. The j.v. team is currently 1-9 in league play.

Former student now teacher

By Danielle Meaux
Staff Writer

Wearing khaki pants and big brown boots, Jamie King walks through the crowded halls of River City High School where he walked eight years ago as a high school senior. Today, he walks through these same halls not as a student, but as a world history and physical science teacher. A graduate of River City, Mr. King says he decided to become a teacher to make a difference in people's lives.

In spite of growing up in a very supportive household, Mr. King admitted to having been a very confused child. He had no idea what the future held. He went from wanting to be a businessman, to a surgeon, to, finally, an educator.

Asked to reflect on his childhood, which is practically ancient history by now, he said the most memorable yet saddest memory was his last varsity game. "I knew it was the last time I would ever put on a Raider uniform," he said.

In his spare time you can find Mr. King coaching River City's j.v. boys' basketball team which he has been coaching for six years, golfing, listening to Kenny Latimore and Brian McKnight and "kick'n" it with his better looking (he said) twin brother Shawn.

Mr. King and Shawn are very close and, of course, share a special bond only twins can share. They are the best of friends and Mr. King says Shawn is an inspiration in his life.

Having grown up in a single-parent household with mom and brother, Mr. King said, "I've always been strong with relating to people and over the years I've grown to feel more comfortable doing so."

Asked how he looks at himself, he said, "I'm a leader by action not words."

Mr. King hasn't said the words "I do" yet, so this single man (not by choice) is looking for the love of his life. His only requirement: "as long as she breathes."

Club Corner

Stomp Cancelled

The Drill Team, or Stomp, has been cancelled. The group was founded this year and performed at the Homecoming Rally. Tyrome Lewis, the leader and choreographer of the former group, said it was cancelled because of personality conflicts.

"They [the rest of the group] kicked me out because I was a boy," Tyrome said, "So I left, and took my expertise with me."

Ms. Scoville, who was the group's advisor, made the final decision about cancellation.

Buy Your Boo Bundles

Don't forget to buy a Boo Bundle! French Club is selling the bags of candy and balloons for two more days. They will be delivered sixth period Friday.

Misty's Social Scene

By Misty Drew
Staff Writer

Well, here it is again. The list that informs you of any "hang-out" you might be interested in attending. Have fun!

Sunday: Yolo High School, 920 Westacre; River of Life Community Church Youth Group, 4:30p.m.

Monday: 15th & Delaware; First Baptist Youth Group, 6:30 pm.

Tuesday: Sam Combs Park on Stone Boulevard; Second Mile/ Campus Life 7:03

Wednesday: 1800 Manzanita Way; Horizon Christian Fellowship HAVOC, 7 pm.

Friday: 828 Merkley Ave; Joy Christian Ministries Youth on Fire, 7 pm.

Special Events:

This month's special event will be held at 828 Merkley Ave, Oct. 30, at 7 pm. There will be a "Hell House." There will be a $1.00 admission cost for the Hell House.

Sports Briefs

Wrestling Sign-ups

Attention all students interested in wrestling: The first day of practice is Nov.2. To be able to practice, you must have a physical and a yellow clearance card from the office. For more information, talk to Mr. Miller.

Frosh B-ball Sign-ups

Freshman boys who want to try out for basketball should sign up on Coach Brook's door-Rm. 57. Practice begins Monday, Nov. 2, so get cleared ASAP. Soccer and football players may try out when their current season ends.

BRYON--

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blush. And one said,"Oh, honey, you're growing up!" Then they laughed at me even more when I blushed even more.

In class, I try to keep up the good will by telling a few jokes. Then someone said that I was like a history teacher, that I try to be funny, but I'm not. That was hard to take because I thrive on making others laugh.

They also say that I have chicken legs. Which I do not! It hurts my feelings and it brings tears to my eyes

Then Misty said she would throw me against the walls, just for fun. Some just ignore me. That is heartbreaking for me.

I feel so out of place. I feel so left out of everything, especially conversations. I try to join one, and it dies down awfully quick.

There is only *one* girl in the class I can really talk to. Not just ones I say "hi" to. Her name is Olivia. She is the only girl football player in the school. We talk about football, pads, helmets, hitting, face masking, and many other things. It isn't like talking to a girl, it's like talking to one of the guys.

There are some good points, too. When they hover around me when I am writing, that makes me feel good. When some talk to me in the hall, it's fun.

Don't get me wrong, I do like this class, and the people in it have become my friends. Some I wouldn't talk to before I knew them, because they were more popular then me. But, I have found out that they are normal, just like me.

So... I exaggerate a little.

Fern Bender celebrates her 93rd

On October 5, Fern Bender celebrated her 93rd birthday with a dinner party at the new Cafe Vienna on Merkley Avenue. A good time was had by all three generations and long time good friends.

Fern has resided in West Sacramento for 50 years. Family attending were her daughter, Evonne Bush; grandchildren Gary, Mark and Barbara Bush; great-grandchildren, Michael, Angela, Joshua and Kimberly Bush. Friends in attendance were Joe Ogdon, Marian Shaw, Marlene Perini and Sandy Irwin.

Angelina Cecelia Marie Ybarra was born on September 12, 1998 to proud parents Kathleen Velez and Santana Ybarra. She weighed four pounds, 15 ounces; she was 18 inches long. Grandparents are Mary Acuna Velez, Danny Velez and Carol Ybarra. Angelina is the twentieth great-grandchild to great-grandmother Mary L. Acuna.

EDAC meeting tonight looks at business issues

Tonight's meeting of the West Sacramento Economic Development Advisory Commission (EDAC) will feature a report from the redevelopment agency recommending changes to the its Business Retention and Expansion Program (BREP). The changes are aimed at increasing the amount of information flowing from local businesses to the city.

Commissioners will be asked to forward their comments on the changes to the city council. The public is invited to the meeting, which begins at 6 p.m. tonight (Oct. 28) in the West Sacramento City Council Chambers.

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cation, said Hyett, he and his wife (also a league official) and their son (a player in the league) were taunted by other league members about the embezzlement allegation, which Hyett said had no truth in it.

"There are still people in the community asking me, 'When are you going to give the money back?' and 'How much did you take?'," said Hyett.

Then came an election in which both Hyetts ran for reelection as league officers.

"I served three years as president and a year as vice president," said Mike Hyett. "Last year, they kicked me and my wife and son out of the league."

Hyett was referring to the election in which both he and his wife were voted out of their posts, and to what he says were barriers placed in front of his son to prevent his continuing participation as a player in the league.

After the letter's publication, Hyett asked the Press for a retraction and was refused. The paper did not feel it was responsible for something in its pages which was authored by an outsider, Johnson said.

The same letter had been submitted to the News-Ledger but was not published.

After the controversy over the original letter, its author Barbara Little had the "good grace to come forward" after the controversy and "admit she was wrong" in a new letter published in the Press, Johnson said.

Hyett asked if he could write a letter to the editor in the Press to clear his name.

"Not only did they choose not to print a retraction, but they did not even let Mike write a letter in response unless he signed a release exonerating the editor, the paper and the employees from all liability," said Johnson. "They wouldn't let him respond without in effect paying for the privilege."

Over a year later, the Press's parent company negotiated a settlement with Hyett after his attorneys threatened a lawsuit.

The Press is owned by Gibson Publications of Vallejo, California. The company's president did not immediately respond to a request for a comment.

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The factory he built was located over on Soule Street right next to the railroad tracks, and when I got old enough to go to work, I was given a job there on the assembly line where the popsicles dropped down into their bags. It was often a little like that old 'I Love Lucy' episode where the candy starts going by on the conveyer belt too fast, but at least I was in charge of the stop button. Actually, I loved working in the popsicle factory, and it also helped put me through college."

After attending and graduating from local schools, Jeri studied psychology in college, but she soon discovered that what she really wanted to do was teach.

"Once I got my teaching credential," said Jeri, "I was offered a job teaching first grade at Evergreen Elementary School, and I did that for about eight years. Then I taught second grade for another eight years at Westfield Elementary School, and for the last 15 years or so I've taught second, third and fourth grades at Westmore Oaks Elementary School. I'll be retiring next year, and I feel so lucky to have been involved in the lives of so many of West Sacramento's fine young people. Teaching has been a very rewarding profession for me, and I've especially enjoyed being able to work in the same neighborhood where I live. I think there's a great advantage in children getting to know their teachers as neighbors and fellow community members, not just as someone they only see when they're at school."

In the early 1980s, Jeri met and married Bill Wingfield.

"I needed a tennis partner in a tournament I was playing in," recalled Jeri, "and it ended up being Bill. After about six months of tennis matches and bicycle rides, we were married, and we've been a really great team ever since. For instance, I like to cook and Bill loves to grow all kinds of fresh vegetables, so that works out perfectly. Plus we both really enjoy the outdoors and being active."

Jeri and Bill (who has worked as a California State Fish and Game virologist for 32 years) also enjoy traveling, especially under their own power, and they have taken a number of organized bicycle trips in Europe and California together. They also try to use their bicycles instead of the family car when they have errands to do, and many West Sacramentans are used to seeing Jeri and Bill peddling from place to place. "My mother's family came to California in covered wagons," said Jeri, "and some of them walked most of the way, so riding a bicycle to work or the grocery store isn't really all that hard to do. Plus it's a great way to stay in shape."

Jeri also enjoys skiing, golfing, being a very active grandmother, and she is currently the Vice President of the West Sacramento Historical Society.

"I'm very involved with the Yolo County Sesquicentennial right now," said Jeri, "which celebrates the 150th anniversary of the discovery of gold in California. The West Sacramento Historical Society is also going to have an Exhibit of Diversity in January where we will be displaying old photographs from this area, and if anyone out there has a family portrait or any other interesting old photograph they would like to be a part of the exhibit, please give me a call at 371-7678. I would also like to mention that the West Sacramento Historical Society meets the fourth Tuesday of every month, and if anyone is interested in becoming a member, they are more than welcome."

"Jeri is one of those people who always manages to see the positive side of things," said Louisa Vessell, the president of the West Sacramento Historical Society. "She's a bundle of energy and if she says she's going to do something, it gets done. Everyone should have the zest for life that Jeri does."

Jeri and Bill have six children between them, two from Jeri's first marriage, and four from his. Chris Elliott is a building inspector, Martin Elliott is a teacher like his mom, Julia has her own plant business, Sarah does landscape designing, Andy is a writer, and Anna is in a college credential program studying to be a French teacher.

Jeri and Bill also have eight grandchildren.

"It's that pain in the neck in Room 17. Now he wants a bed!"

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be needed. Some of the questions the Steering Committee will address should it determine a school bond is necessary are: the amount of the bond, how the proceeds will be used (new construction, land acquisition, modernization, etc.), and how best to go about forming a Bond Campaign Committee which will have a winning strategy that most West Sacramentans will be able to endorse and enthusiastically support.

In addition to City Councilman Kristoff and City Manager Goeden, members of the West Sacramento School Bond Task Force Steering Committee include Irene Eklund and Dave Farmer from the Board of Education, WUSD administrators Diane Smith, Linda Langtry, Ken Whittemore and Janette Clark, WUSD employees Josie Andre, Melody Bosley, Kathy Collins, Estella DeLaTorre, Alex Sameryuk, Dave Sideu, and Jon West, and community members Dorothy Adamo, Joey Brown, Clark Cameron, Dan Ramos, Brian Turner, Don Hill, Jasmine Taunk, Dan Clayton, Julie Dennis, Daryl Fisher, Karl Machschefes, Julie Hart Martin, Mike McGowan, Steve Palmer, Diane Pleinis, Nicole Ring, Rebecca Sage, Tina Starr, and Sandy Westlake.

The next meeting of the Steering Committee is scheduled for November 19th at the River City High School library.

Police log

Oct. 22, 11:42 a.m.

A 28-year old West Sacramento woman who was a known prostitute was seen by an undercover officer smiling and waving at cars on West Capitol Ave. She approached him and agreed to a sexual act for money, and directed him to a motel. In the vehicle, the officer gave the woman a condom, which she accepted. When they parked, following officers arrested her.

Oct. 24, 8:37 a.m.

A pickup truck was reported stolen during the night from a Poplar Ave. residence. The owner located it several hours later at a nearby motel.

Oct. 24, 10:20 a.m.

At the police department, an officer took a report from a Rice Ave. businessperson that two ex-employees had embezzled about $30,000 in checks and fraudulent charge card use over a two year period.

Oct. 24, 2:30 p.m.

Mail theft was reported from a postal vehicle on Hardy Dr. Later that afternoon, an officer saw a vehicle matching the description of the suspect vehicle and stopped it near 4th and C streets. The vehicle was stolen and had different license plates from the originals. The driver was arrested and stolen mail was found in the trunk.

Oct. 24, 1:30 p.m.

An officer investigated an incident in which a car struck and damaged six parked cars near 6th and Cummins.

Oct. 24, 5 p.m.

On Pine St., a man was arrested after he was observed attempting to molest a nine year old niece.

Oct. 24, 7:25 p.m.

A landlord turned in to the police department for destruction a marijuana plant and drug paraphernalia which had belonged to an ex-tenant.

Oct. 24, 9:15 p.m.

On 5th St., an overdose was reported. A man who had been released from prison the day before had overdosed on heroin and was transported by ambulance to a hospital. A report of the incident was forwarded to the man's parole officer.

Oct. 24, 10:57 p.m.

A Third St. business reported a fight involving a security guard and another man. The other man ended up with a swollen eye and the security guard reported a pain in the ribs. The visitor's girlfriend was believed to have absconded with a two-way radio belonging at the company while the fight went on.

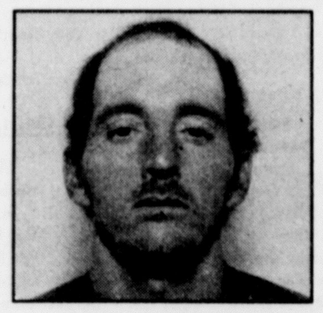
Oct. 25, 4 a.m.

A victim reported being jumped by two possible gang members after asking them not to lean on his car. One of the attackers had a handgun in his waistband but did not brandish it.

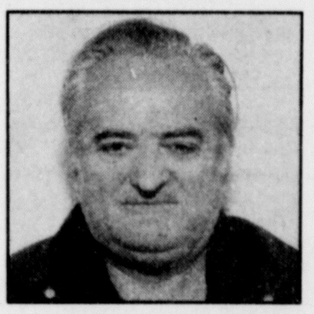
Oct. 25, 4 p.m.

Police contacted a 36-year old Walnut St. woman at her residence. She was arrested for conspiring with others to obtain money on checks issued to a deceased woman, and attempting to use her father to pass the checks. When arrested, she was under the influence of a controlled substance.

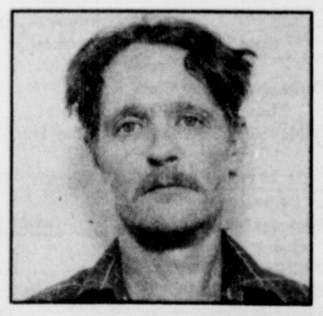
West Sac's most wanted



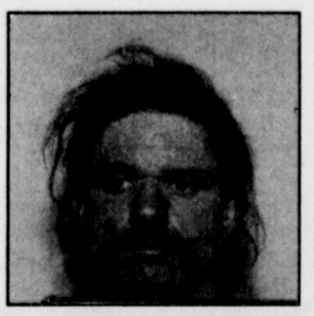
Brian Douglas Pace is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for receiving stolen property. Pace, a 38-year-old male with brown hair and eyes, stands 5'7" and weighs 150 pounds. He is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.



Felix Thomas Lyons is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for maintaining a location for unlawful activity. Lyons, a 68-year-old male with brown hair and eyes, stands 5'8" and weighs 180 pounds. He is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.



Daniel Sidney Knipp is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for possession of dangerous drugs. Knipp, a 43-year-old male with brown hair and blue eyes, stands 5'9" and weighs 145 pounds. He is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.



Jimmy Eugene Wilson is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for corporal injury to spouse. Wilson, a 40-year-old male with brown hair and eyes, stands 6'2" and weighs 190 pounds. He is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.

If you have information regarding the whereabouts of any of these individuals, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department, Warrants Section, at 372-2461, ext. 226, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you know the immediate location of the person outside of normal business hours, contact West Sacramento Police Department Dispatch at 375-6474.

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Filed Oct 15, 1998
File No. 98-611

The following persons are doing business as Direct Courier, 1163 Park Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Allen Clark, same address.

This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10-15-98.

/s/Allen Clark

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 15, 1998
by: /s/Victoria Barnes, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 16, 1998
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The following person is doing business as Rocket Dog Communications, 1743 El Pescador Ct., Davis, CA 95616:

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This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/15/98.

/s/Michelle McKim

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Filed Sep 23, 1998
File No. 98-570

The following person is doing business as The Executive Search Group, 1516 Lakewood Dr., W. Sacramento, CA 95691:

Tamara K. Stavrianoudakis, same address.

This business is conducted an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9-23-98.

/s/Tamara Stavrianoudakis

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 23, 1998
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 22, 1998
File No. 98-565

The following person is doing business as Graphic Express, 920 3rd Street, Davis, CA 95616.

James T. Feather, 1218 B St., Davis, CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a sole proprietorship. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/22/98.

/s/James T. Feather

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 9, 1998
File No. 98-604

The following person is doing business as Davis Children's Theatre; Fairy Dreams Dance, 2979 Layton Drive, Davis, CA 95616-1630:

Julie Clemmons Peak, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/6/98.

/s/Julie C. Peak

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 9, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 25, 1998
File No. 98-578

The following person is doing business as Sveinson Consulting, 16023 Co. Rd. 99, Woodland, CA 95695.

Scott Sveinson, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/25/98.

/s/Scott Sveinson

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 25, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenberg, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 25, 1998
File No. 98-577

The following persons are doing business as Sports Station, 1264 E. Gibson Rd. #F605, Woodland, CA 95776:

Patel Shashikant K, 1180 Matmor Rd. #23, Woodland, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/25/98.

/s/Patel Shashikant

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 25, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 5, 1998
File No. 98-593

The following person is doing business as Magic Carpet Dry Clean, 805 California St., Woodland:

Diana S. Edwards, 805 California St., Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/30/98.

/s/Diana S. Edwards

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 5, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 24, 1998
File No. 98-573

The following person is doing business as Once in a Blue Moon Graphic Art, 1267 E. Oak Ave. D, Woodland, CA 95776.

Tammara Lynn Askea, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/24/98.

/s/Tammara L. Askea

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 24, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk

Oct 21 28 Nov 4 11

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 9, 1998
File No. 98-603

The following person is doing business as Kids on the Go, 18 Clark Ct., Woodland, CA 95776:

Heidi Eileen Lindberg, 18 Clark Ct., Woodland, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/9/98.

/s/Heidi E. Lindberg

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 9, 1998
by: /s/Karen S. Smith, Deputy Clerk

Oct 21 28 Nov 4 11

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 24, 1998
File No. 98-575

The following person is doing business as RT Cellular of West Sacramento; West Sacramento RT Cellular, 849 Jefferson Blvd. #104, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Eagle Force LLC, 8309 Cherry Leaf Ct. Ste. 1, Citrus Heights, CA 95610.

This business is conducted a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9-24-98.

/s/William D. Courtright

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 24, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF SALE OF VESSEL

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Sec. 503 of the CA Harbors and Navigation Code that AAA Storage, 226 Dr. Claassen Wy., Woodland, will for the purpose of satisfying lien for storage, sell at public auction, at 9:00 AM, the 12th day of Nov., 1998, the following vehicle to wit: Hull No. C5538, Builder - Lonestar, CF0111KZ, 1955, 21 ft., alum., day cruiser, OB, stripped. VIN - CA687273, CA. IDT9779, 1955 SPCNS, boat carrier, RV Space 46; Charles Gillon Wylie III.

Bob Kolak Auction Service
Lic. A-468
Bond #68368965

Oct 28

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 15, 1998
File No. 98-613

The following persons are doing business as SOS Trucking, 1856 Olvera Drive, Woodland, CA 95776:

Susan Nixon and Steven Nixon, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/15/98.

/s/Susan Sharp-Nixon

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 15, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 22, 1998
File No. 98-631

The following person is doing business as "Hair Plus," 368 California St., Woodland, CA 95695:

Ruth G. Leon, 126 Antelope St., Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/Ruth G. Leon

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 22, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 15, 1998
File No. 98-614

The following person is doing business as Toad City Cycle Delivery, 37 Barthel Lane, Davis, CA 95616.

James Alexander Johnson, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/25/98. Previous fictitious business name number 98-579.

/s/James A. Johnson

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 15, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 31, 1998
File No. 98-518

The following person is doing business as Earl Pete Helfrich Construction Management and Consultant Services, 927 J St. #51, Davis, CA 95616:

Earl Pete Helfrich, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/31/98.

/s/Earl Pete Helfrich

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Aug 31, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 30, 1998
File No. 98-583

The following person is doing business as J&L Enterprises, 221 Muir Street, Woodland, CA 95695:

Jeffrey S. Corcoran & Lisa M. Corcoran, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/30/98.

/s/Jeffrey S. Corcoran
/s/Lisa M. Corcoran

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 30, 1998
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, in accordance with the provisions of Section 21700 et seq of the Business & Profession Code of the State of California, of public sale of the contents of the storage spaces named below, which consist of misc. personal property, household, garage, yard, household items, computer parts, misc. items, to satisfy a landlord lien. Complete terms and inspection prior to sale which will be held on the 12th day of November 1998 in the County of Yolo, State of California at, 2600 Evergreen Ave., West Sac. 95691 at 10:00 AM:

C32 Harold E. Lamoree; C38 Randy Guthrie; D24 Kevin & Kemberly Anderson; D49 William E. Whitmire; H43 Brandi B. Benitez; I77 Mary Carter; RV26 Mike and Eileen Steere.

Bob Kolak Auction Service
Lic. A-468

Oct 28 Nov 4

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 12, 1998
File No. 98-609

The following person is doing business as Davis Books, 408 Russell Park #4, Davis, CA 95616:

Ted Ducker, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/13/98.

/s/Ted Ducker

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 12, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

Oct 28 Nov 4 11 18

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 2, 1998
File No. 98-522

The following person is doing business as Woodland Sweeping Service, 907 Bourn Dr. #204, Woodland, CA 95776:

Randy L. Kiesz, same address.

This business is conducted an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9-1-98.

/s/Randy L. Kiesz

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 2, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
FBN Number 95-727

The following person has abandoned the use of the Fictitious Business Name: Woodland Sweeping Service at 1238 "B" E. Beamer St., Woodland, CA 95776. The fictitious business name above was filed in Yolo County on 10-9-95.

Jessie M. Helin, 907 Bourn Dr. #204, Woodland, CA 95776.

This business was conducted by an Individual.

/s/Jessie M. Helin

This statement was filed with the Yolo County Clerk on the date indicated by the file stamp above.

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Sep 2, 1998
/s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 8, 1998
File No. 98-600

The following person is doing business as Precision Ag Supply, 2850 Spafford St., Davis, CA 95616:

Precision Farming Enterprises, Inc., same address.

This business is conducted a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/8/98.

/s/Benjamin J. Sanders
Precision Farming Advisor
Precision Farming Enterprises

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 8, 1998
by: /s/Karen S. Smith, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No:S307693 Unit Code:S Loan No:5548061920-1/NOONAN AP No:008 132 30 T.D. SERVICE COMPANY, as duly appointed Trustee under the following described Deed of Trust WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (in the forms which are lawful tender in the United States) and/or the cashier's, certified or other checks specified in Civil Code Section 2924h (payable in full at the time of sale to T.D. Service Company) all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property hereinafter described: Trustor: KEVIN HUGH NOONAN, ROSA NOONAN RecordedDecember 2, 1991as Instr. No.030576in Book2286 Page478 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder ofYOLOCounty, pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded-July 7, 1998as Instr. No.19245 in Book---Page---of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 22, 1991.UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE.IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. 1905 MICHIGAN BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CA95691 (If a street address or common designation of property is shown above, no warranty is given as to its completeness or correctness). Said Sale of property will be made in as is condition without convenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest as in said note provided, advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. Said sale will be held on: NOVEMBER 13, 1998, AT 11:30 A.M. ON THE MAIN STEPS OF THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 725 COURT STREET, WOODLAND, CA At the time of the initial publication of this notice, the total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the above described Deed of Trust and estimated costs, expenses, and advances is $25,179.39. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. Date:October 12, 1998 T.D. SERVICE COMPANY as said Trustee, T.D. SERVICE COMPANY 737 ARNOLD DRIVE, SUITE C MARTINEZ,CA 94553-6526 925/229-9015 We are assisting the Beneficiary to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose whether received orally or in writing. If available, the expected opening bid may be obtained by calling the following telephone number(s) on the day before the sale: 925/313-9581 TAC: 453945C PUB: 10/21, 10/28, 11/4

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Child care information & referrals to licensed centers and family child care in Yolo County. Related services and resources available. FREE. Child Care Services, (800) 378-5044. 11

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HOUSES FOR SALE

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MOBILE HOMES

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PETS

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BUTLER from page one

Butler, 46, is a fleet superintendent for a laundry/linen service company. He likens the different parts of the educational system to the different parts of a baseball team.

"Baseball is a pitcher's game, but it takes more than a pitcher to make a team," he commented. "Same with education. It takes more than educators. There's transportation needs and other needs."

Butler, an Ohio native, came to West Sacramento in 1982. He began work at age 16 while going to school, and continued as an in-plant repairman and as a technician in a research and development company. His wife is an instructional aide with the district.

"Both our kids spent their entire education through high school here," Butler said. "I think it's a very good school district with an excellent staff. I can't say there's anything wrong, but I think that now, in this climate, the way this country does business has changed in the last 10 years, and everything has gotten leaner and meaner. There's always room for the district to get better."

One son is a junior at River City High School, and the other has graduated from R.C.H.S. and is serving in the Air Force.

Butler said he has "mixed emotions" on a school bond proposed to finance a new high school.

"Bond issues are not the best way to pay for things, but under the circumstances, I don't think we have a choice," he remarked. "All our schools could use a little refurbishing and maintenance. That's a board decision, and if I'm part of the board, I'll be part of the process. Next year, they'll move the sixth graders back to the elementary school level, and that will relieve Golden State Middle School."

He expressed support for class size reduction efforts.

"Class size reduction is important," he stated. "The smaller the class, the easier it is to reach the students. We're limited as far as classrooms and staff, and you can only go so far with that. Students now also have a lot more challenges than the ones of 30-40 years ago -- society has changed. There's more things challenging the students as far as home life. Nobody thought 30 or 40 years ago that anything would threaten children at school, but the incident in Stockton showed things could happen. 30 years ago, there was no such thing as a free (school) lunch, but now it's a necessity."

Butler said that a "back to basics curriculum is very important" and that the district needs to continue to work on improving its students' performance on standardized tests.

"They're important to the state," he said of the tests, "and important to the student. Grade level proficiency is important and we could probably do a lot to improve."

Butler was involved last year with other members of Joy Christian Ministries who challenged the district's use of the book "Ordinary People," by Judith Guest, on the curriculum at River City High School. The book contained foul language and sexual situations.

"That's not necessarily the reason I'm running," he said. "I do feel we need to set a good example for our children. I've been in community service since I was a teenager, and I think everybody has a responsibility to their community."

Butler has been active in his church and as a volunteer fireman, Assistant Cubmaster, and volunteer at Westfield Elementary School, Golden State Middle School and East Yolo Soccer.

CLAYTON from page one

work with the kids, parents, teachers and everybody involved in the kids' education.

Clayton is an electrician for Union Pacific railroad who has a son attending U.C. Berkeley, another at U.C. Santa Barbara, and a daughter and third son at River City High School.

"I've been involved with kids for awhile," he said. "I've been on the city parks and community services department. I've been coaching (youth teams)."

He is not critical of the current board.

"It seems you have a little bit of a turnover there," Clayton commented. "Basically, we're there for the kids. If we can get things straightened out for the kids, whether it's air conditioning or overcrowding, these are the things I'd like to do on the board."

Clayton supports a school bond for a new high school.

"Once all the new development starts, I think yes we do need one," he said. "The way they're talking is that if we had a bond passed, it would take about three years to build one, so we'd better start now. In three years, we'll have a lot of new houses out there."

He said that he is in favor of class size reduction "if it helps the kids learn better."

Clayton commented that he is concerned about local kids' performance on standardized testing, but that such results are often overemphasized.

"The test scores are going up, but we have a long way to go," he stated. "My kids tested around 1050-1080, but they're doing quite well in college."

Clayton described his own leadership style as one of cooperation.

"I'm not a pushy type person," he remarked. "I work with others, but I do voice my opinion. Also, being president of my union, I've learned how to compromise."

Clayton came to the Sacramento area when he was 13 years old, and now lives on Lisbon St.

He holds an associate of arts degree from Sacramento City College, and has taken some classes in business from Sacramento State.

"I started off in data processing and didn't like it, and went to accounting, and didn't like it," he reports.

He enjoys his participation in local sports.

"A lot of people know me as 'Danny,' " he commented. "I've coached soccer and little league, and people know me as 'Danny' or 'Coach.' "

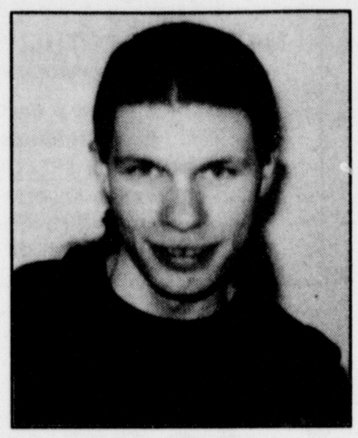
Clayton joins fellow challengers Stanley Dal Butler, Richard B. Drew and Paul Zolnikov in running with incumbents Ardeene Westvik and David Farmer for a four-year term on the school board.

"I told you not to bother him."

Fisher commended —

Dr. Donna White, principal of River City High School, has announced that Paul Fisher has been named a Commended Student in the 1999 National Merit Scholarship Program. A letter of commendation from the school and National Merit Scholarship Corporation, which conducts the program, will be presented to him by Dr. White.

Some 34,500 Commended Students throughout the nation are being honored for their exceptional academic promise. Although they will not continue in the competition for Merit Scholarship awards to be offered next spring, Commended Students placed among the top five percent of more than one million students who entered the 1999 Merit Program by taking the 1997 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.



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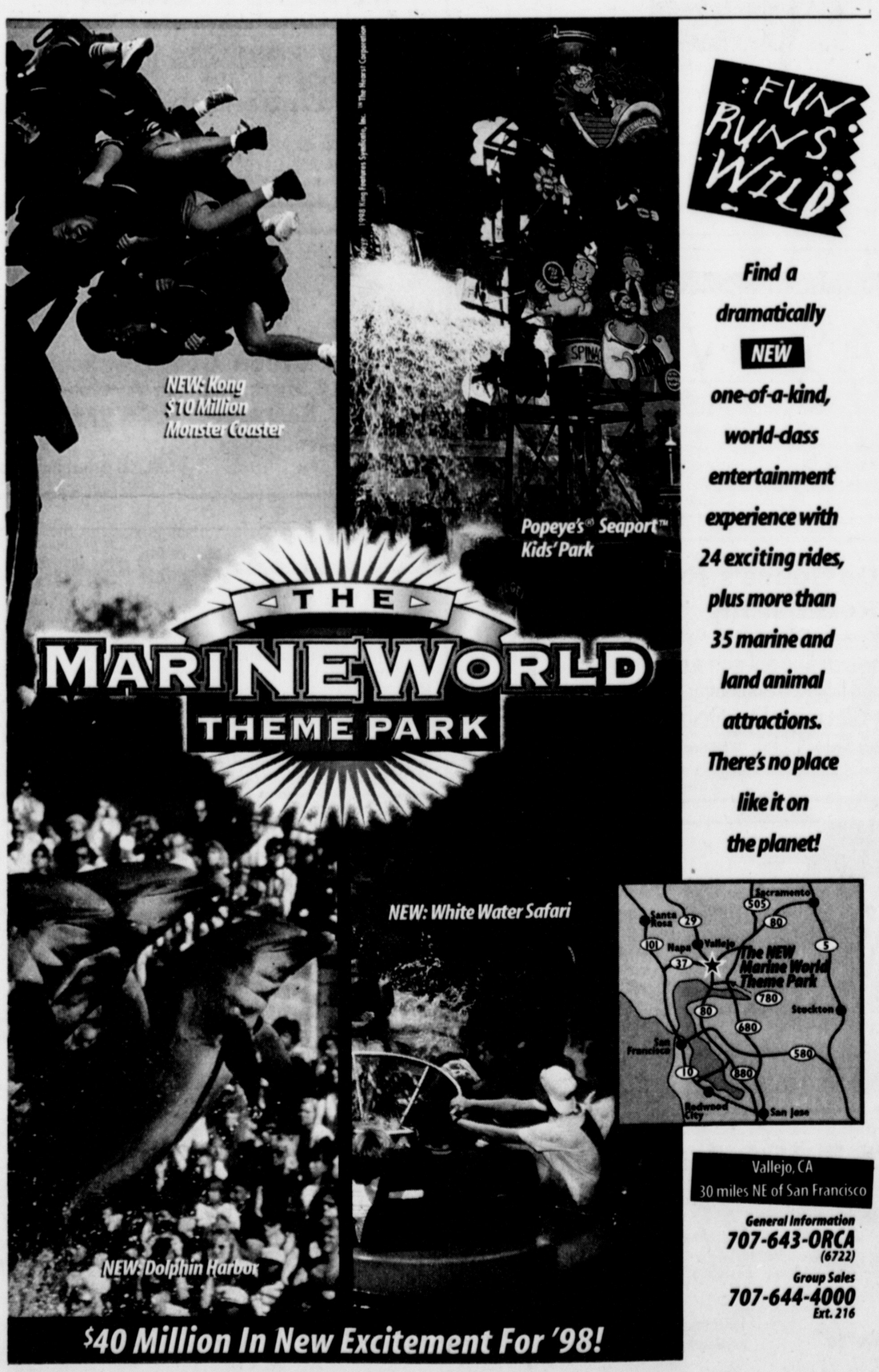
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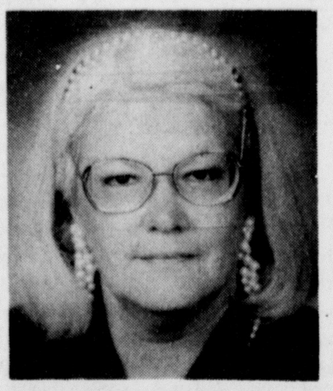

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DREW from page one

ond daughter in fourth grade. He got involved in school board issues after some other members of his church challenged the use of a controversial book, "Ordinary People" by Judith Guest, on the curriculum at the school. The book contains foul language and sexual situations.

"Almost a year ago, some fellow members of my church including the pastor went up in front of the school board opposing a book which was mandated for sophomores to read," he explained. "I was on their side. At this meeting, I saw a lot of things I didn't like. I saw some board members that didn't have an opinion of their own. . . and just went along with the others."

"I wanted to see if I can be of help to the district," said Drew. "I think there's more that could be offered to them. In Elk Grove, it seems like every time they build a new subdivision, they get a new school, and they seem to do very well. I'd like to see our kids do as well or better."

Drew said he believes West Sacramento could benefit from a curriculum shaped to the different needs and goals of the community's kids.

"In Germany, there's a certain point in their education where if the kids aren't excelling in academics, they put them in trade schools because they figure that's the direction the kids are going to go. If another country can find ways for their children to excel, we should to the same."

Drew believes the community needs a new high school "right now."

"When it comes to our kids, I don't think we need to wait for anything," he said.

He believes that the district also needs to pay attention to local kids' performance on the state's standardized test scores.

"If a child is having trouble with test scores, something needs to be done," Drew stated. "Of course our test scores need to be brought up to standard."

He commented that he would like learn more about the situation in local classrooms before deciding on a policy for reducing class sizes in new grades in the district.

"I would like to be able to get out to some different schools and get some teachers' opinions," Drew said.

One "snag" point in the local educational system, Drew feels, is the transition from the fifth grade to the sixth grade, where (for one more year) students move from elementary schools to a middle school which plays host to sixth, seventh and eighth graders.

"That is a strange transition," Drew commented. "I believe they should drop sixth grade (from the middle school) and leave sixth grade in a grammar school situation."

Drew complimented Jim Sweeney, the district's finance manager, saying Sweeney was doing a "fantastic job."

"Personally I know last year there was $2.5 million left in the budget. If we've got money to do something with, we should use it for our kids," he said. "I don't believe there should be money left over."

Drew's path through life has been "a rocky road," he admits. He left high school for the Marine Corps, and after an honorable discharged worked as a truck driver, printing press operator and other jobs. He later obtained his equivalency degree for high school. A felony hit-and-run driver left him blind in one eye and deaf in one ear -- and out of the work force for ten years. He rejoined the workforce three years ago.

An armed robbery conviction is in Drew's own past -- in 1979 at age 19, he said -- but he is a changed man since those days, he reports.

He is a past coach for West Sacramento Little League and Washington Girls Softball, as well as a Sunday School teacher.

ZOLNIKOV from page one

It should be achieving goals and learning challenging skills. Fun should be in the schools, but it's not the main thing. It's very sound talking about class size reduction, the internet, and other things, but in my opinion, they're not what our schools really need. We need to return our schools to the basics. We need kids to learn grammar, learn spelling and learn math."

Zolnikov has pushed his own children to challenge themselves in school. One son is now studying government at CSU Sacramento after graduating from River City High School in three years instead of the usual four. The daughter of Zolnikov and his wife (who works for a local engineering company) is in her final year at River City, also completing high school in only three years.

"At first she resisted this, but she is now very pleased that she is saving a year," said Zolnikov.

Zolnikov earned a civil engineering degree in the former Soviet Union, and worked locally as a manufacturing engineer for several years. He now works as a realtor and owns a janitorial company and advertising company. His two younger children attend a local middle school and elementary school.

Possibly alone among school board candidates, he opposes plans for a school bond measure.

"I couldn't support a school bond," he commented. "I couldn't support any more money taken from the people. We have a lot of money, but I'd like first to see how we're spending it."

He commented on the perceived need for a new high school.

"I don't know if we need a new high school or we need to keep expanding it like we are doing," he said.

Likewise, Zolnikov does not see class size reduction as a cure-all, believing instead that discipline and parental involvement are the things our educational system most needs.

"Class size reduction is important if we can afford it," he remarked. "It's not extremely important. I learned all the subjects back in Russia, and all the time we had 30 pupils and just one teacher. But we had a very good curriculum and a very good communication system between schools, parents and teachers. Every day, my parents could check on how I did that day at school. Here, we have one teacher and in almost any class also a teaching assistant. Twenty students per class is a good idea, and I would prefer 15 if we can afford it. But it is not what makes schools the best."

Zolnikov related an anecdote from shortly after his family came to America, to illustrate his believe that children need to be challenged to succeed.

"My daughter was placed in Alyce Norman School," he said. "After she came back from her first day, I asked how was her teacher, how were the students. She told me they had 30 students and 26 of them were Russian and we had a Russian-speaking teacher. I went to the school and said that is unacceptable to me. I said, 'I must ask you to place my daughter in a regular class with Americans, Asians, blacks.' The principal refused to do this, saying, 'Your daughter is limited English-speaking.' I said so what, if you put her with 26 Russian students, she will be more limited in English."

Zolnikov said he carried his protest to the superintendent, who finally agreed to put his daughter in a regular class -- but in a different school, "because they were afraid other parents would follow my example."

He supports state-wide standardized testing.

"There should be some kind of standardized measurement," Zolnikov commented. "I like the change they made in high school, where for college prep courses they no longer accept a 'D' grade. There is now only 'A,' 'B,' 'C,' or 'Fail.' The school board should think all the time about how to make the school system more challenging."

Zolnikov is seeking a four-year term this year, but said he is not vigorously campaigning. He ran in June for a vacant seat on the board, losing to present incumbent David Farmer.

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The City's web page (www.ca.west-sacramento.ca.us) will have a direct link to the Yolo County Elections Office starting at 8:30 p.m. on election day, November 3, 1998. Election results can be seen on the web page or by calling 375-6490.

"Vote Party"

The home of Marna and Leonard Miller will be open after 4 p.m. on November 3, election day. Stop by for a minute or stay for the evening. Snacks, punch and coffee will be provided, but drinks will cost. Just come on over to 3520 Palomar Avenue, or telephone at 371-5143.

Art Exhibits

Artists from West Sacramento will be exhibiting paintings in the Arthur Turner Library, 1212 Merkley Avenue, West Sacramento from Oct. 31 through Nov. 20. The exhibit will have watercolors, oils, graphics created by Carol Hawkins, Bill Leek, Roger Rehm, Helen Sieber and Betty Fairbairn Sokolich. All of these artists have won prizes in competitive exhibits in Northern California and exhibited in many shows. The exhibit can be reviewed during regular library hours. The Friends of the Library are the sponsors of the monthly exhibits.

Halloween at Library

Scary stories will be followed by crafts at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library on Halloween, Oct. 31, at 1 p.m. All children are encouraged to wear costumes. The library is located at 1212 Merkley Avenue in West Sacramento. For more information please call 375-6465.

Marine Corps Breakfast

A traditional Marine Corps breakfast will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at 9 a.m. for all Marines (past, present and future) at the Elks Lodge in West Sacramento, 1020 West Capitol Avenue (across from the old Hotel El Rancho). The ceremonial raising of the U.S. Marine Corps flag will be followed by a recitation of the battle history of The Corps, and ceremonial cannon salute. Please call to make reservations to assist breakfast preparations. Call 372-2980 or 272-7470, ext. 2.

Family Bible Study

All are invited to a family Bible study on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. at Grace Valley Christian Center, 2671 Betty Way in West Sacramento. Call 374-8400 for more information.

Prieto Reception

Mr. and Mrs. Raul DeAnda of West Sacramento will host a community reception for Yolo County candidate Ed Prieto tonight from 6 to 8 p.m. Prieto encourages residents to stop by and discuss local law enforcement concerns. Call (530) 750-0260 for more information.

CommuniCare Gala

CommuniCare Health Centers' 1998 Annual Gala will take place on Sat., Nov. 7, beginning at 6 p.m. at Hotel Woodland (College and Main Streets in Woodland). The event will include a silent auction and hors d'oeuvres, live auction and desserts, 50/50 raffle, and full no host cocktail bar and three no host win bars (open all evening). Attire should be elegant. Tickets cost $25. For more information call (530) 758-1510, ext. 1204.

Holiday Potpourri

Plans are underway for Soroptimist International of West Sacramento's 20th annual "Holiday Potpourri," which will be held on Sat., Nov. 7, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at River City High School. The fair will feature items of fine quality, either handcrafted, one of a kind or of artistic value. A pasta lunch will be served from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and a snack bar will be available all day. Admission is free and the public is cordially invited. For further information please call Lora Edwards at 375-7746 or Eva at 371-8126, after 3 p.m.

Free Hair Cuts

The Sacramento City College Cosmetology Department will offer free hair cuts with a canned food donation Tues., Nov. 3 through Fri., Nov. 6. Appoints from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. may be scheduled by calling 558-2595. The Cosmetology office is located on the Sacramento City College campus at the corner of 12th Ave. and Freeport Blvd., directly across from William Land Park. All work is done by students with instructor supervision. Food donations go to Food for Families.

Hell House

"Hell on Earth," an event depicting the horrors of Hell, will be hosted by Joy Christian Ministries at 828 Merkley Ave. in West Sacramento on Friday, October 30, beginning at 7 p.m. There will be a $1.00 admission fee. For more information call 375-0066.

Museum Tour

The Friends of the Yolo County Archives have arranged a tour of the new Golden State Museum in Sacramento for Sat., Oct. 31. The museum is located at 1020 "O" St. in Sacramento. A box lunch at noon will precede a walk-through tour of the museum that will be led by Tom Stallard, Yolo County Supervisor and chairman of the museum board of trustees. The museum is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and an audio-tour is available to those who may wish to enjoy that as well. Reservations should be made by to K. Merwin, 49719 Willow Point Road, Clarksburg, CA 95612, with a check for the appropriate amount. You will receive museum admission tickets and box lunch vouchers by return mail. For more information call Lois Nash at (530) 753-5261 or Roberta Stevenson at (530) 5791.

Xmas Merchandise Sale

A VIP Christmas merchandise sale will be held on Sat., Nov. 7, with many bargains at 50 percent off on new decorations, candles, coffee mugs, tree ornaments and much more. Fresh baked goods and bazaar items will be on sale also. The children will be able to get their picture taken with Santa Claus for only $2.00. The sale will take place at 828 Merkley Ave. (Joy Christian Ministries) beginning at 8 a.m. and closing at 3 p.m. Enter through the side door. The proceeds go toward the church's new building program. For more information, call Pastor J.C. Myers, III, at 375-0066.

Food Distribution

Food products will be distributed to low-income eligible residents on Oct. 31 at two separate locations: the County Building at 500 Jefferson, from 8 to 10 a.m.; and Sam Combs Activity Center on Stone Blvd., from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. Items will include applesauce, green beans, corn, macaroni, peanut butter, dry milk, pinto beans. Participants are asked to bring a bag to carry food home. For more information, please call the Yolo County Coalition Against Hunger at 758-6821.

Women's History Month

The Women's History Month committee will hold its first planning meeting for the March, 1999 celebration of Women's History on Thurs., Oct. 29, at 12 p.m. in the board of supervisors conference room, Yolo County Administration Building, Court Street in Woodland. Please bring your lunch. Beverages will be provided. Anyone interested in participating in the planning and implementation of this project is invited to attend. For more information contact B.J. Ford at 662-0952.

Miles for Meals

Come on out and walk/stroll inside the County Fair Mall in Woodland while you enjoy live music, food and prizes, all so you can help homebound senior citizens receive hot, nutritious lunchtime meals. You can do your part at the Friends of Meals on Wheels, 10th annual "Miles for Meals" Walkathon on Sat., Nov. 14 from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Dewey Hopper, weatherman for KOVR Channel 13, will be the Master of Ceremonies. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Elderly Nutrition Program in Yolo County. The 1998 goal is for 150 walkers to raise over $10,000! Register as an individual walker or as a group and receive a free T-shirt, with a minimum pledge of $20. To receive a registration packet or for information, call Elderly Nutrition Program at (530) 662-7035.

Holiday Potpourri

Craft vendors are wanted for the annual Holiday Potpourri to be sponsored by Soroptimist International of West Sacramento. The event will take place on Sat., Nov. 7, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. For space information call 371-8126 or 375-7746.

Alzheimer's Society

In memory of boxer Joey Lopes, the Alzheimer's Society will host a crab feed on Sat., Nov. 7, at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church Hall in Sacramento, beginning with no-host cocktails at 6 p.m. Following a 7 p.m. crab feed dinner, there will be dancing. Reservations at $25 per person must be made by Nov. 1; call 371-3549 for information.

Child care providers

Anyone in Yolo County interested in becoming a licensed child care provider is invited to an orientation meeting Nov. 10, from 9 a.m. to noon in the Veterans' Memorial Center Game Room, 203 E St. in Davis. Attendance at such a meeting is mandatory to become licensed. For information, call 1-800-378-5044.

Flu shots

The Yolo County Health Department has scheduled flu shots recommended for anyone over age 60 who is not allergic to eggs. Suggested donation is $4. Tetanus vaccines are available for $10 and pneumococcal vaccine for $8. Shots will be offered on Wednesday, Nov. 4, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the West Sacramento Senior Center, 664 Cummins Way. For qualification requirements, call the Yolo County Health Dept.

Moose calendar

October at the West Sacramento Moose Lodge includes a fish fry on Oct. 29, and a kids' Halloween party Oct. 31. Members and guests are invited. For information, call 371-9684.

Halloween Party

A Halloween Costume Party will be held at the Bryte VFW Post, 1708 Lisbon Ave., beginning at 6 p.m. on Oct. 31. There will be live music, food, prizes and raffles. A $2 donation will be requested at the door.

Halloween Party

The Elks Club will sponsor a Halloween party for kids on Friday, Oct. 30, from 6 to 9 p.m. Kids 10 years old and under are invited for games, prizes and hot dogs at the lodge, 1020 West Capitol Ave. Call 371-7122 or 441-3216.

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Sports Quiz Answers

1. the Kansas City Wizards with 16 over the Dallas Burn on Sept. 26, 1996; 2. Columbus Crew with 25 on Sept. 28, 1996 playing Tampa Bay Mutiny; 3. San Jose Clash with 5 playing Los Angeles Galaxy on September 29, 1996; 4. San Jose Clash with 2 playing Los Angeles Galaxy on September 29, 1996; 5. Dallas Burn with 4 playing the Kansas City Wizards on October 2, 1996.

Answers to Super Crossword

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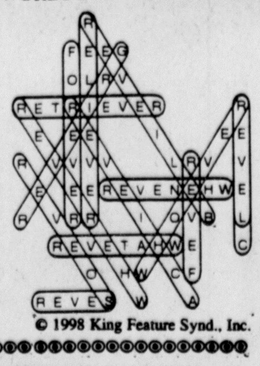

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